

ARREST MURDER SUSPECT IN TULSA

SEES PORTORICO PROGRESS

PRESIDENT HOOVER SHOWS SYMPATHY IN ADDRESS TO SOLONS

Ignores Nationalist Cause In Speaking To Legislature

SAN JUAN, P. R., March 24.—Sympathy for the economic plight of the islanders and high faith in their future prosperity and happiness under the American flag was expressed by President Hoover today in an address to the Porto Rican legislature.

Mr. Hoover's speech was the culmination of his two-day visit here, during which he inspected island conditions and discussed them with Gov. Theodore Roosevelt.

Porto Rico has been particularly hard hit economically. The hurricane of three years ago wrought great devastation throughout the island and before there was any appreciable recovery from that catastrophe the islanders were hit again by the world-wide depression.

But these ravages will be repaired by time, the President told the legislature.

"Discouraging as these disasters may be for the moment," he said, "we know they are but passing events in our history; that with the courage of your people and under the benevolent institutions which have been built here, their effects will be overcome and the nation and this island will resume their march to prosperity and progress."

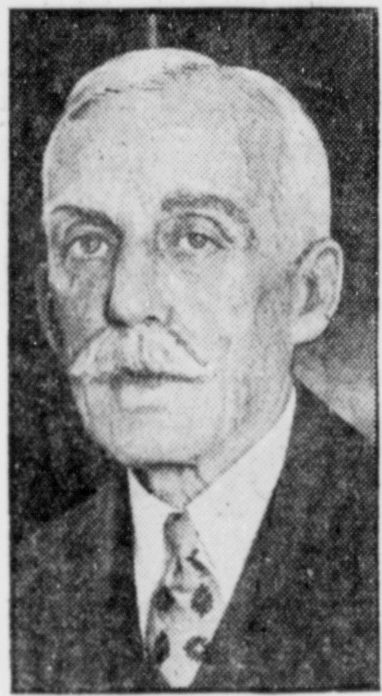
If the Porto Rican Nationalists, who have been agitating independence from the United States, hoped to receive any encouragement from the President's address they were disappointed. Mr. Hoover ignored the issue completely in his speech, nor did he make any reference to the nationalists who have been promoting statehood aspirations among the people.

On the contrary, the President spoke throughout as though Porto Rico is an integral part of the United States for all time, even though it has not attained the rank of statehood.

The progress of Porto Rico since it came under the American flag has been steady, he reminded the

SWEEPING PROBE OF CITY'S GOVERNMENT ORDERED BY SOLONS

HAS BIRTHDAY



ANDREW MELLON.

Andrew W. Mellon, secretary of the treasury, celebrated his seventy-sixth birthday today. He was born in the late President Wilson's cabinet last night and he received a medal awarded him by the American Institute of Chemists.

FORMER SECRETARY BAKER AND WELFARE DIRECTOR DISPUTE

CLEVELANDER DEFENDS JUDGES; McSweeney Favors Change

COLUMBUS, O., March 24.—Former Secretary of War Newton D. Baker and State Welfare Director John McSweeney today were in serious disagreement over the correct answer to Ohio's penal institution problem.

An eloquent defense of justice as administered by Ohio judges was delivered by the holder of the war portfolio in the late President Wilson's cabinet last night but it failed to divert the welfare director from his determination to remove much of the bench's sentencing power and transfer it to a remodeled parole board.

Baker appeared before the senate's committee on institutions to support a bill to prohibit the parole board from holding a man in prison beyond the judicial minimum sentence without consent of the court in which the trial was held.

McSweeney announced that a conflicting bill through which his proposed parole board of four members would be permitted to ignore minimum sentences fixed by judges is a definite part of the state welfare department's program.

The bill for which Baker spoke had previously been discarded by the committee and Senator Roy J. Gillen (R) of Wellston had drawn up a substitute with the provisions desired by McSweeney.

"I'm bewildered at your opinion of judges," Baker told the committee at the opening of his argument. "You're wrong in your ideas

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Seabury Will Direct Inquiry; Select Committee

ALBANY, March 24.—The assembly of the Republican-controlled state legislature early today joined with the senate, ordering a sweeping investigation of the government of New York City.

After the senate had passed a resolution calling for the inquiry by a strict party vote of twenty-six to twenty-four the assembly followed with a favorable vote of seventy-six to seventy. The assembly vote was also on strict party lines.

No approval by Governor Roosevelt is necessary to make the resolution effective. The ordering of the investigation by the assembly followed the forwarding by the governor to Mayor James J. Walker at Palm Springs, Calif., where he is on vacation, of charges made against the city executive by the city affairs committee.

The action of William L. Ward, veteran Republican leader of Westchester, in withdrawing his opposition to the legislative investigation of New York City with the understanding that Samuel Seabury would become counsel to the commission, paved the way for adoption of the resolution in the senate.

The new resolution, sponsored by John Knight, Republican senate leader, was substituted in the senate for the story resolution which went down to defeat in that body on Feb. 18 because of Ward's opposition. While no mention of Seabury is made in the resolution it was announced that definite agreement had been reached whereby he would become counsel to the probe committee and, in reality, personally would conduct the investigation.

Under the Knight resolution the probe committee will be composed of three senators and four assemblymen to be appointed by the Republican legislative chiefs. The committee will be clothed with just as broad powers as would have been conferred upon a similar body under the original investigation resolution but denunciation of conditions in New York City was "toned down" and provision was made to have private hearings in the resolution adopted.

The probe measure carries an appropriation of \$250,000 which will be paid out of the legislative contingent fund and the committee will submit its report to the 1932 legislature.

Republican leaders of the legislature are not expected to announce the personnel of the probe committee until after the legislature adjourns early next month.

It is expected that one or three senators will be a Democrat and that one of four assemblymen will be a member of the same party, thereby giving Republicans complete control of the committee.

Democrats in both houses waged a bitter but futile fight to prevent adoption of the probe resolution. They attempted to amend the proposal to provide that the investigation should include all cities of the state but they were beaten. Then they attempted to amend it so as to provide that the committee should be composed of an equal number of Democrats and Republicans. Again they were beaten.

ANOTHER HORST BOY CLEW FOUND FUTILE

CLEVELAND, March 24.—Another futile and erroneous tip as to the whereabouts of Little Melvin Horst, Orville, O. boy whose mysterious disappearance three years ago has gone unsolved, today had been investigated and discarded by Cleveland police.

Acting on the tip supplied him, County Prosecutor Marion F. Graves of Wayne County asked Attorney Edward S. Wertz of Cleveland to investigate a rumor that the horst lad was being held in an apartment in Cleveland's "Little Hollywood" district.

With two armed detectives, Wertz raided the flat but found no trace of the missing youth, police reported.

TREASURY BALANCE
WASHINGTON, March 24.—Treasury balance as of March 21: \$678,783,443.26; expenditures, \$11,585,795.67; customs receipts, 21,726,619.56.

SENIOR CLASS HELD FOR CRIME SERIES

WARREN, O., March 24.—Eleven students of a Trumbull County Rural High School, whose arrests left but one senior attending classes, were held here today for further questioning in connection with more than forty robberies within recent months.

Sheriff J. C. Risher said the boys, whose ages range from 16 to 25, had confessed to stealing more than 200 chickens in twenty-eight raids on poultry houses, cracking six safes and robbing two garages and three stores.

CHILD BURNED

POWHATAN, O., March 24.—Edna Cline, 6, daughter of Fred Cline, was in serious condition in Bellaire Hospital today as a result of burns suffered when her dress became ignited at an open fireplace.

The child's mother, hearing screams of terror, rushed to smother the flames, and was severely burned on the hands and arms. The girl was burned over her entire body, hospital authorities said.

NO NEWCOMERS

WOOSTER, O., March 24.—Not a single baby was born in the village of Mount Eaton during 1930, the annual report of County Health Commissioner W. H. Rhoten has disclosed. Congress, with three births and one death, was the healthiest place in the county which reported a total of 610 births and 358 deaths during the year.

VOTE ON RELIEF BILL
COLUMBUS, O., March 24.—A vote will be sought in the state house of representatives this week on the Milder bill, appropriating \$80,000 for the employment of drought sufferers, Speaker Arthur Hamilton (R) of Lebanon, declared today.

GENEROUS TO RED CROSS
THREE RIVERS, Cal., March 24.—From all available information Three Rivers, with one hundred residents, oversubscribed the Red Cross drought relief quota by a larger percentage than any other community. It ran over its quota 290 per cent.

LOS ANGELES, Calif., March 24.—With a thundering roar, an excavation for a new state building caved in here today, burying twenty workmen, according to a police report.

As police ambulances were rushed to the scene, it was undetermined whether the trapped workmen had been killed.

The excavation was on the site of the old Times Mirror building which was torn down to make room for a new state office building and a new structure for the Times.

DRAWINGS MADE FOR HOSPITAL LOTTERY ON STEEPLECHASE

Will Distribute Over \$5,909,000 In Sweepstakes

DUBLIN, March 24.—A tremendous crowd that surrounded Mansion House here trembled with excitement today as a huge sheet of steel, containing some 4,000,000 counterfoils of \$2.50 tickets in the Irish Hospital Sweepstakes, whirled suddenly into motion to spin out fortunes and disappointments to participants.

A rumbling cheer arose as one of the thirty-two horses engaged to do the drawings held up the first counterfoil. The horse proved to be Drintyre, an 18 to 1 shot and fourth favorite in the race. "Sandy" Rotherham of England drew it.

All of the first five tickets drawn were held by residents of the British Isles. Despite the ban placed on the sweepstakes tickets by the British postoffice, twelve of the first thirteen horses drawn were held by persons in England, Scotland and one in South Africa.

The first prize, according to official figures, totals \$1,772,720; the second, \$886,360; the third \$190,905.

The eighty-two original entries in the Grand National Steeplechase, drawn separately and to be run off at Aintree Friday, have prizes totaling \$6,405 each.

The 360 cash prizes amount to \$5,905 each.

The nineteenth number drawn was held by John J. McCarthy, of 4529 Spruce St., West Philadelphia. His horse was Morekeen, an outsider.

A checkup indicated that subscriptions received from all parts of the world for the sweepstakes represented 3,511,926 tickets, but the total number of counterfoils in the big drum reach a much greater figure. The reason for this is that all ticket sellers received two free tickets for each ten sold.

In money the subscription totaled \$8,779,815 according to official figures. Of this amount, \$5,909,075 was made available for prize distribution, \$1,969,690 will be given to the hospital, and the rest will be used to cover organization expenses.

Police armed with rifles and revolvers guarded the Mansion House throughout the night, and similar protective forces were posted around the steel drum.

Twenty are lights in the interior of the building lighted every nook and corner of the room where the drawing proceeded, which is expected to last most of the day.

THAT SISTER PROBLEM!

Edna Robb Webster Writes From Real Life In Coming Gazette Serial

THAT younger sister! She has been a problem in many a home, a thorn in the side of the older and less attractive girl, the cross she bears.

New dresses, the best dates, the cream of life, all these, in homes of moderate circumstances, the older girl gives up that her baby sister may enjoy them.

This is the situation in Edna Robb Webster's new serial story, "Love, Preferred," the romance of a business heir, which begins April 1 in THE GAZETTE.

Mary and Bonnie Vaughn are the sisters in the story, chosen from examples in real life by the author. Mary is

the sweet, unselfish type and Bonnie is the spoiled younger child. Sweet on the surface, vivacious, more attractive than Mary, she captures the spotlight wherever the two appear together.

It is Bonnie who gets the new and attractive clothes and selfishly she even makes it a point to win away Mary's boy friends, by way of proving her own attractiveness to men. On the surface all is quiet. Mary unconsciously hiding her natural resentment. But the struggle between these two goes on nevertheless, as it does in life, and in a dramatic setting of modern business.

You'll want to follow the story of Mary and Bonnie every day. Begin it with the opening installment April 1.

Submarine Prepared For Cruise Under North Pole

NEW YORK, March 24.—The submarine Nautilus — on the verge of its fantastic journey into the icy underworld of the Arctic — will be christened today.

Jean Jules Verne, grandson of Jules Verne, who wrote what was



JEAN JULES VERNE

considered to be an impossible story about the cruise of a submarine, will christen the submersible with Lady Wilkins, wife of Sir Hubert Wilkins, commander of the expedition.

The bearded Sir Hubert, as calm as a tropical sea, was confident

of the success of the expedition and unperurbed regarding the misfortunes attending the submarine's journey to the Brooklyn navy yard from Philadelphia. Quartermaster W. I. Grimmer was washed overboard and drowned as the Nautilus came up New York bay.

"There must be a certain amount of bad luck in such an expedition as ours," said Sir Hubert. "If it occurs at the beginning it will be that much less later on, according to the law of averages. I am satisfied that all was done that could be done to save our shipmate's life."

The descendant of the author of "Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea," today was enthusiastic about the expedition.

"The Nautilus is more practical than my grandfather's story book boat," said the modern Verne. "I believe the voyage to the North Pole will be a great success."

"The expedition will bring back much useful information about the polar currents, the gulf stream and meteorological and magnetic observations. It will also do much for international amity."

Captain Sloan Danenhower, former naval undersea expert, who will navigate the Nautilus said that the craft will go to Poughkeepsie, N. Y., for fresh water tests about April 1, and then will proceed to Provincetown, Mass., for salt water submergence trials. Then the undersea boat will be ready to go to Halifax under its

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EVEN REPUBLICANS THINK PLAN FOR DISTRICTING TOO SEVERE

COLUMBUS, O., March 24.—Within his own party, Senator Lawrence H. Norton (R) of Cleveland, author of the newest congressional gerrymandering proposal for Ohio, today heard his scheme condemned as being "too lopsidedly Republican."

While Democrats continued to assail the Norton plan as "over-partisan," one prominent Republican senator expressed the hope that his party will be willing to bargain and "offer more" than has been yet suggested.

Only by more liberal overtures by Republicans to Democrats can the committee on redistricting hope to evade Governor George White's veto, he opined.

The first organized verbal broadside at the intricate redistricting suggestion of Senator Norton was expected to be hurled Wednesday night when the matter will be brought out for a hearing and when jealous Democrats are expected to attack it viciously.

Democrats have indicated an objection to the make-up of the proposed new fourth district of Shelby, Logan, Clarke, Miami, Champagne and Darke Counties, which they asserted, would give that district an additional Republican margin of 3,000 votes.

The Norton plan removes Madison County from the district and adds Logan. The Logan Republican edge was estimated to be about three times that of Madison.

The proposed new district was reported to resemble the state senatorial district so much that Senator William A. Clark (R) of Urbana, expected to run for congress, expected to run for congress.

Senator Clark, a state organizer for the J. O. U. A. M., admitted that he had been asked to run against Congressman Chas. Brand (R) of his home town, for the congressional nomination and said that he might consider the proposal.

Clark denied, however, having been associated with the committee when it drew up a congressional district little different than his state senatorial district.

The proposed new 18th district of Columbiana, Jefferson, Harrison and Belmont counties, Democrats said, apparently was designed with the intention of shaping a congressional committee for Senator Earl R. Lewis (R) of St. Clairsville, president pro tem.

Similar mention was made of Senator Walter G. Nickels (R) of New Philadelphia, and the rearranged 15th. Besides Tuscarawas, the district includes Guernsey, Muskingum, Morgan, Noble, Monroe and Washington Counties.

Beyond the political lineup of his own district, Senator Norton denied knowledge of the party result of his plan for redistricting. Cuyahoga County, he said, probably would have two Republicans and two Democrats in congress under his proposal, while now the proportion is two Democrats and one Republican.

First public consideration of the redistricting proposal will be given Wednesday night at a meeting in a senate committee room where Senator Joseph N. Ackerman (R) of Cleveland, chairman of the committee on elections and federal relations, will preside.

IT WOULD BE!

PALM SPRINGS, Calif., Mar. 24.—Repeated rumors that Mayor James J. Walker of New York City would accept a position in the motion picture industry today had inspired the executive to make the following bantering comment:

"The story is okay. Polly Moran will play the lead and Al Capone will play opposite her, and it isn't going to be a picture at all—it's to be a four-ring circus."

DAYTON LEADING IN FIRE PREVENTION

DAYTON, O., March 24.—In fire prevention work for 1930, Dayton led Ohio cities of 100,000 population or more, according to figures today from the state fire marshal's office.

Dayton, with a population of 200,982, had 1,726 fires which caused losses totaling \$197,652. The average cost per fire was \$112.74; the per capita loss, \$.983.

Standing computed on a basis of per capita losses for Ohio's eight cities of more than 100,000 population are: Dayton, \$.983; Cincinnati, \$1.581; Akron, \$1.59; Columbus, \$1.936; Toledo, \$2.985; Canton, \$3.141; Cleveland, \$3.684; and Youngstown, \$5.106.

MOVIE STAR GAINS HEALTH



RENEE ADOREE

PRESCOTT, Ariz., Mar. 24.—Apparently on the road to recovery at a sanitarium, Renee Adoree, motion picture star, has been confined to visiting Hollywood friends that she expects to return to her film work "soon." Miss Adoree said she has increased in weight from eighty-five to ninety pounds and "feels lots better."

POLICE THINK MAN IS BROOKS CHILD SLAYER

Blood On Auto And Clothing Leads To Death Theory

SAN DIEGO, Calif., March 24.—"We firmly believe we have in Gerald Dorsie, the man who attacked and killed Virginia Brooks — or knows who did."

This startling information in a telegram to Police Chief A. R. Hill from John Bonham, chief of detectives at Tulsa, Okla., today caused Hill to place a long distance call for Tulsa officials.

Bonham's telegram said that Dorsie was found in a battered old car that was bloodstained. Dorsie's clothes were also smeared with blood.

Dorsie admitted that "the car has been in San Diego" but denied the murder allegation.

WOMAN APPOINTED STATE BUREAU HEAD

Fremont Woman To Succeed Mrs. Bing

COLUMBUS, O., March 24.—Appointment of Miss Mary Irene Atkinson, of Fremont, to succeed Mrs. Lucia J. Bing as superintendent of the state bureau of charities was announced today by Welfare Director John McSweeney.

Miss Atkinson served seven years as chief of the division of institutional care in the Ohio Department of public welfare. She resigned in 1924 to accept a position with the child welfare league of America as director of the department of institutional care, a newly created position in the league.

Since 1926, she has also, been editor of the bulletin published by the league. She is a member of the American Association of Social Workers, of the New York chapter of the American Association, and a member of the national conference of social work. She was formerly a member of the Ohio Newspaper Women's Association.

BILL WOULD REMOVE CANAL "SQUATTERS"

COLUMBUS, O., March 24.—"Squatters" residing along the Ohio canal in Tuscarawas, Coshocton and Muskingum Counties for a distance of more than eighty-five miles can be forcibly removed in a bill which went to the house of representatives today after passage last night by the state senate.

"We want to clean up that entire canal territory," Senator Walter G. Nickels (R) of New Philadelphia, told the senate last night in urging passage of his bill which abandons for land canal purposes in the vicinity of Coshocton, New Philadelphia, Uhrichsville, Dover, Tuscarawas, Newcomers, town, Dresden, Lock 17 and Gnaden.

"Squatters" in that section, Senator Nickels said, pay as low as \$2 to \$5 a year rent if they pay anything.

OBTAIN JURY FOR TRIAL IN ELYRIA

ELYRIA, O., March 24.—Peremptory challenges by the state and defense of a jury of twelve tentative jurors seated to hear evidence in the first degree murder trial of Edward J. Nolan, Lorain sailor, for the slaying of Norman Wate, was to mark the progress of the trial here today.

Seven men and five women were seated during the opening day's sessions. Testimony was expected to start late today or tomorrow. Nolan is the first of four men to be tried on murder charges growing out of Wate's murder in the magic shop at Lorain. Others are Arthur Wallace, 30, proprietor of the shop; Maurice Rice, 30, amateur magician and Spencer Stevens, 23, sailor.

DEMPSEY DEFENDS SUIT FOR DAMAGES

CHICAGO, March 24.—The trial in which Jack Dempsey is being sued for \$500,000 damages for failure to fight Harry Wills got under way today in circuit Judge Pomeroy's court.

Both Wills and Dempsey are expected to appear in the courtroom today. Selection of a jury was completed yesterday. The complaint is the Chicago Coliseum Club, which alleges that the former heavyweight champion violated a contract by fighting Gene Tunney in Philadelphia after agreeing to a match with Wills.

Dempsey's attorneys said they knew nothing of an alleged contract covering the match. The former champion refused to comment on the suit.

RELIEF SHIP BRINGS THIRTEEN VIKING SURVIVORS FROM SCENE

ST. JOHNS, N. F., March 24.—The relief ship Sagana, one of the first to rush to the Viking disaster scene near horse Island in White Bay, reached here today with thirteen survivors of the ill-starred film expedition, seven of whom are seriously injured.

The Sagana brought back also the body of Captain William Kennedy, navigator of the Viking, who succumbed to pneumonia enroute here. He was rescued from the ice floes with two companions

twenty-four hours after the Viking was destroyed. Among those landed here from the Sagana was Harry Sargent, of Boston, a member of the motion picture making expedition. He was met at the pier by his sister, and went immediately to a hotel. Sargent was the only American member of the expedition to be rescued thus far.

The rescue vessel Prospero is expected here shortly with additional survivors.

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legislators. He addresses them as "My fellow American citizens."

"Our nation is proud of the progress made by the people of Porto Rico," he said. "Endowed with liberty, freedom, with self-government and individual opportunity through incorporation under the American flag, the island by the efforts of its citizens and the co-operation of the whole United States has in a single generation emerged from stagnation to a high place in the march of progress."

"Porto Rico is a magnificent example of what a capable and intelligent people may accomplish under free institutions. You have shown courage and initiative under these impulses of freedom and liberty. You have in this single generation since joining in our citizenship increased more than 60 per cent in population, increased over 500 per cent in material wealth and over 800 per cent in attendance upon public schools. You have decreased illiteracy by almost 50 per cent and the death rate has been diminished by more than sixty per cent."

"I know of no finer achievement than that of the people of this island who from their gaining wealth have built up a few public schools with but 25,000 scholars at the time of the occupation to a great system of several thousand schools, colleges and universities, which today give instruction to over 200,000 scholars."

"You are temporarily suffering not alone from the aftermath of the devastating hurricane of 1928, when a tenth of all the property of the island and a much larger percentage of the tools of livelihood were destroyed, but you are involved with us all in the world-wide business depression."

"In Washington we are sensible of these many serious difficulties with which you are struggling at the moment. It has been the policy of the federal government to contribute even more liberally to the development of Porto Rico in this period of her upgrowth toward freedom and liberty than has been given to our states."

"Not only has the island enjoyed the invaluable privileges of full inclusion in our economic system but all of the federal revenues from the island have been assigned to the island treasury, and now a large measure of the federal welfare services in public work, public roads, education, agriculture, and in public health, are being extended to the island without costs to its people."

"The suffering of the people of the island from the great hurricane found a generous response not only from the contribution of your fellow citizens in the United States but by large measures of relief from the federal treasury."

"Basically what we are all striving for in our economic life is to provide, for all of our citizens on this island as well as the mainland, the opportunity to gain for themselves and their families by their own effort a fair and adequate livelihood. We have confidence in the advancement of your part of our nation through economic development, through the education, and through the ordered liberty which have created the great sister commonwealths upon the mainland."

"We wish to see every Porto Rican with the same opportunities in life to which we believe every American citizen is entitled. Economic advancement is not necessarily the foundation of moral and spiritual advancement, but it can be made so if we so conduct our institutions that prosperity shall be diffused among all our citizens. If we use its surplus to advance the cultural, the moral and spiritual welfare of our people, then economic advancement serves not alone these purposes, but becomes the bulwark of liberty and freedom itself."

Mr. Hoover concluded by praising what has been done toward child welfare in the island, and extolling the administration of Gov. Roosevelt, whom he characterized as "a true friend of the Porto Rican people."

"A word of encouragement for the future. The achievements of your past should be your assurance. You have shown splendid ability at cooperation, building new institutions of government, and in disaster, magnificent courage. That courage and that spirit of cooperation will bring to you the blessings of prosperity. You are endeavoring, as all our people are endeavoring, to build a system where man may have an opportunity of livelihood, where insecurity is no longer a spectre in the home of those who have the will to work, and where upon the soil of this prosperity you shall find richer fruits of culture and wider opportunities of mind and spirit. Those possibilities are before the people of Porto Rico. Your fellow citizens upon the mainland will co-operate with you to those ends."

DID YOU KNOW? - Illustrated Question Box
By R. J. SCOTT

IF A MAN HAD PROPORTIONATELY THE SAME STRENGTH IN HIS JAWS AS A FIELD ANT, HE COULD LIFT IN HIS TEETH 275 TONS

THE MOST EXPENSIVE ANIMAL TO KEEP IN CAPTIVITY IS THE WALRUS

IN ONE YEAR ITS FOOD BILL IS EQUAL TO THAT OF THREE ELEPHANTS

25 BABIES IN 28 YEARS - BORN TO MANUEL FERNANDEZ AND HIS WIFE, FEDULA - SAN JOSE, COSTA RICA

MOHAMMED IS THE COMMONEST FIRST NAME IN THE WORLD

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about what judges do when they sentence a prisoner," he added.

That was in answer to a statement by Senator Robert A. Taft (R) of Cincinnati that judges spend little time deciding what sentences they will hand down to prisoners.

"The only way to get judges who can be trusted is to trust them," Baker argued.

Baker warned the committee that increased powers for a parole board would add to convicts' distrust.

"Over in the Ohio Penitentiary there isn't a man serving more than his minimum sentence who doesn't believe he is being unfairly treated. The place is seething with discontent and suspicion because prisoners feel that the very agencies set up for their protection have deserted them," he added.

Baker and others backing the original bill complained that the parole board has so little time for considering all cases before it that 500 or more convicts already have served past their minimum sentence without having had a hearing for parole.

Baker also charged that a prisoner whose case is heard by a parole board has no opportunity to answer his accusers.

Under McSweeney's plan a bipartisan board of four members would be in complete command of paroles and could parole a prisoner at any time after he had served his statutory minimum sentence, less time for good behavior allowed in the Ackerman bill also a part of the new state program.

Admitting that he wishes to get deserving prisoners out of the penitentiaries and in the care of skilled probation officers, McSweeney said he saw in his plan one way of relieving both overcrowding and over-crowding.

Baker was not willing to admit the wisdom of taking men out of jail. He agreed, however, that "every jail sentence ever given was too long."

Action on two of the bills were delayed until a later meeting of the committee.

SEEKING RUBBER

GREELEY, Colo., March 24.—The production of rubber may become one of the leading industries of northern Colorado if experiments being carried on by Thomas A. Edison for the development of commercial rubber from guayule are successful. All technical problems of growing guayule have been solved and the growth and cultivation of the plants is said to be very simple. The climate and soil of northern Colorado is known to be well suited to the cultivation of the plant.

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FATHER OF XENIAN CLAIMED BY DEATH

Funeral services for William L. Baker, 84, father of Mrs. Charles A. Weaver, E. Church St., were held at his home in Fremont Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock and burial was made there.

Mr. Baker died early Saturday morning. He had been in failing health several years and had been confined to his bed a week suffering from a complication of diseases. Mrs. Weaver is the only surviving relative. Mr. Baker's wife and a son having preceded him in death. He was well known here, having often visited at the Weaver home.

Mr. and Mrs. Weaver and son, Charles and Mr. and Mrs. Schuyler N. McClellan attended the funeral Monday.

SHOW ODD FLOWER CHICAGO, March 24.—At a recent flower show here one of the exhibits was the "death flower of China," which supposedly throws the cloak of death over anyone who goes to sleep in a room where the plant is in bloom.

DIVORCE ASKED BY TWO; GRAND LODGE SUED; COURT NEWS

Charging her husband has never supported her since their marriage December 26, 1926, Bertha Thorn has brought suit in Common Pleas Court seeking a divorce from David G. Thorn. They have no children. The plaintiff declares she mortgaged her own property to furnish her husband with \$500 to purchase an auto and that he has driven away in the car to "parts unknown." Asserting she owns residence property on Cottage Grove Ave. in Xenia and that the defendant owns real estate in Clark County, the plaintiff asks to be restored to her former name of Rayburn, requests that her husband be barred of dower interest in her property and desires the court to decree her the defendant's real estate as alimony.

Suit for divorce, on grounds of gross neglect of duty, has been filed by William Real against Mabel Real, to whom he was married August 24, 1917 at Dayton. The plaintiff claims his wife abandoned her home and three children last January 17, went to her sister's home in Dayton and refuses to return. The husband asks custody of their minor children, Vera May, 13, Ida May, 9, and Arthur William, 7, and seeks to have his wife barred of dower interest in his real estate.

The Grand Lodge of Knights of Pythias is named defendant in a suit filed in Common Pleas Court by Ellys Elliston who seeks to recover an judgment for \$202, alleged due on an account for labor performed at The Home for Aged Pythians in Xenia Twp. Harry D. Smith is attorney for the plaintiff.

FORECLOSURE SOUGHT
Suit for \$1,956.95, or foreclosure and sale of mortgaged property, has been instituted in Common Pleas Court by The Home Building and Savings Co. through Attorney H. D. Smith against Albert Weidener and Grace Weidener, L. W. Crandall and William Klingensmith, claiming an interest in the defendants' property, are named co-defendants.

SUBMARINE BEING PREPARED FOR TRIP UNDER NORTH POLE
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own power to prepare to cross the Atlantic to London. The Nautilus will strike out from Spitzbergen about July 1 through the Greenland Straits and intends to submerge at the edge of the ice-field.

The Nautilus will write its name upside down under the polar ice for almost 3,000 miles. It will aim to cross the north pole under the ice. After fifty miles or so it will come up for air by means of its powerful drills which are expected to eat through any amount of ice.

While the storage batteries are being recharged from the engines, the crew is scheduled to emerge through the holes made by the drills and gather scientific data.

The underwater life will be

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LEGION TO MEET
SANTA ROSA, Calif., March 24.—Santa Rosa will be host on May 9 and 10 to approximately one thousand American Legionnaires when the ex-servicemen meet here in an area convention, second in size only to the national department convention. World War veterans from all sections of northern California, with exception of Alameda and San Francisco Counties, will attend the conclave, it was announced today.

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The little girl wishes her coat to show the new silhouette smartness of the season—scarfs and capes with the beret to match—Flannel and Tweeds—4 to 12.

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Ohio Music Club Officer Addresses Club Here

MRS. F. A. Z. KUMLER, Dayton, extension chairman of the Ohio Federation of Music Clubs, was guest speaker at the March meeting of the Xenia Woman's Music Club at the home of Mrs. Alice R. Ruthrauff, N. King St., Monday afternoon. In her talk Mrs. Kumler stressed the necessity of organizing a junior and juvenile music club in Xenia and also urged the members to attend the convention of the Ohio Federation of Music Clubs in Cincinnati April 7 to 10. Her talk was well received by club members.

Preceding Mrs. Kumler's address a musical program on "Music of the Months" was presented. A large calendar had been placed at the door beside the piano and here each

MUSIC FEDERATION TO OFFER PRIZES

Prizes, totaling \$6,000, are being offered by the Ohio Federation of Music Clubs, of which Mrs. Edgar Stillman-Kelley is president, to the national winners who pass the state contest in piano, violin, cello, organ, and men's and women's voices. In addition Dena E. Harshbarger will give a \$1,000 women's opera voice prize and this winner will also be given an audition at both the Chicago and Civic Opera Companies, a New York debut under professional management and a scholarship with the American Opera Co.

The preliminary Ohio contests will take place during the Music Federation's state convention April 7 at the Hotel Gibson, Cincinnati. Application for entrance in the contest should be made immediately to the national executive contest chairman, Mrs. Arthur Holmes Morse, 263 McGregor Ave., Cincinnati.

COMMUNITY CLUB TO MEET THURSDAY EVENING

Three one act comedies, "Getting a Permanent Wave," "What Ails Maria" and "Who is That Man?" will be presented at the White Chapel Community Club meeting at the White Chapel School Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Hannah Turner will give a monologue and music will be furnished by the Xenia Grange Orchestra. Mrs. Henry Weiss is in charge of the program.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Whittington will be in charge of the social hour and each family is asked to bring meat sandwiches and an open pie. The public is invited to attend.

MOTHER AND DAUGHTER BANQUET ON THURSDAY

The Woman's Home Missionary Society, the Lal Bach and Sara M. Chew Missionary Societies of Trinity M. E. Church will entertain members of Trinity Guild at a mother and daughter banquet at the church Thursday evening at 6:30 o'clock. Every woman and girl of the church is invited to attend.

Following the dinner a special program will be presented. Reservations for the banquet are to be made with Mrs. George Henkel or Mrs. Harold Owens by Wednesday noon.

PIANO RECITAL IS PRESENTED MONDAY

A division of the class of piano pupils, taught by Miss Marguerite Williams, Yellow Springs, appeared in a recital sponsored by Miss Williams at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Johnston, E. Market St., this city, Monday evening.

Those taking part in the recital were the Misses Catherine Wolf, Ellen Beatty, Mary Waddle, Katherine Keller, Ruth Alexander and Ruby Johnston.

McGERVEY CLASS HONORS NEW PASTOR

The Rev. E. A. Rager, pastor of Trinity M. E. Church, Mrs. Rager and little son were guests of honor at a covered dish supper given by members of the McGervy Bible Class of the church at the home of Mrs. Charles A. Davis, N. Galloway St., Monday evening.

Twenty-two members of the class attended the supper and later an informal social hour was enjoyed.

Mrs. Irene Keibie and sister, Miss Charlene Wilson, W. Church St., entertained at a dinner party at their home Sunday evening in honor of the birthday of their cousin, Miss Eleanor Leath, Wilmington.

Mary Ann Baldwin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Baldwin, Park Drive, is ill, suffering from the grip.

Mr. Elwood Stroup, Maple Corner Road, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia, is improved and able to be out.

Mrs. Ida Gordon, who has been ill from influenza at the home of her sister, Mrs. Charles Buck, Pleasant St., is showing improvement.

Mrs. Charles Purdom, N. Galloway St., spent Sunday in Zanesville with her daughter, Miss Martha Purdom, who is dietitian at Bethesda Hospital there.

Members of Eleazer M. P. Church will enjoy a "poverty" social at the church, south of Xenia, Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. A supper will be served and the menu will be in keeping with the "poverty" idea. Each family is asked to bring a covered dish and sandwiches. Mrs. Dennis Pagett and Mrs. Herbert Conklin are on the committee in charge of the social.

Mrs. John P. White, E. Second St., will be principal speaker at a program following a banquet under the supervision of the business girls' department of the Springfield Y. W. C. A. in Springfield Tuesday evening. Mrs. White has been giving a series of ten talks before the association.

Mrs. Charles Weiss, Lower Bellbrook Pike, who received a broken right collar bone and three fractured ribs when she fell at her home last week, is slowly improving.

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Although young men may think of love in the Spring, this trio of lovely maidens would seem to prove that their own sex think rather of the new Spring styles, and display the latest models in head dress. At the left we have the popular off-the-face hat, ideal for street wear. (Right). The light panama hat, which properly sets off the all-white Summer dress. (Below). The wide-brimmed lacy straw hat, with braided design, which matches with the new modes of frilly gowns.

By ALICE ALDEN
HOLLYWOOD, March 24.—This Spring it is going to be really difficult—unless we are very wise—to avoid losing our head over the new hats offered for our decoration and delight.

Hats this year do not need a yardstick. They are all sizes as well as all shapes. Big, small, irregular, round, or broken up into points, they are all lined up waiting to see that we are to be beautifully framed this season. For our new hats are going to flatter, even

Loren Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Thomas, White Chapel neighborhood, is improving from an attack of the grip.

MAYBE I'M WRONG

By John P. Medbury

History tells us of a polite Indian, who, before he scalped a man, always asked "Shall I take much off the top, sir?"

AUTO-SUGGESTION

What this country needs is fewer motor cars and more parking places.

MOMENTOUS MOMENTS

When a highwayman holds up a tightwad and asks him for his money or his life.

THE GOOD OLD DAZE

A bootlegger was arrested in Philadelphia last week for selling bum gin on Sunday.

ODE TO A WIFE

Be it ever so grumble, there's no husband like your own.

ACE OF CADS

The miser who puts artificial cheese in the mouse traps.

EXCUSE IT PLEASE

Every milkman is practically on the water wagon.

TAKE IT OR LEAVE IT

Photographs in the rogues gallery are framed in guilt.

ADVICE TO LOVEWORN

There's no harm in marrying a widow. Lots of men buy second hand cars.

OUR OWN VAUDEVILLE

Native—What struck you most about Chicago?
Tourist—The black-jacks.

XENIANS WILL URGE PASSAGE OF BUDGET

A delegation of Xenians will appear before the finance committee of the Ohio House in Columbus at a hearing Wednesday morning at 9:30 o'clock when the budget proposed for the O. S. and S. O. Home here for the next two years will be given further consideration. The Xenia group will be composed of representatives of various local organizations interested in a legislative appropriation for the full amount sought to finance maintenance and betterments at the institution.

MANY JOBLESS, BUT OFFICE IS VACANT

ZANESVILLE, O., March 24.—Zanesville has as many breadlines as about any other town of its size in the middle west, and yet no applicants can be found for one vacant city job. It is the position of city physician to the poor, with an annual salary of \$500.

Dr. W. C. Bateman has resigned the position, after more than thirty years of faithful service, and the city council has so far been unable to find another doctor to fill the position.

WORK ELIMINATING DANGEROUS DAYTON PIKE CURVE STARTS

Elimination of the dangerous downhill curve in the Dayton-Xenia Pike at Alpha, about five miles northwest of Xenia, is no longer a dream—it will become a reality this summer, County Surveyor W. J. Davis reveals.

Contract for the project has already been let to Clark Bros., Maysville, Ky. firm, and work of straightening the highway at that point has already been started.

The new strip of road, about one-fourth of a mile in length, will be built partly along the right-of-way of the old Rapid Transit line and partly along the right-of-way of the schoolhouse at the top of the hill and the main highway will be rejoined at Old Alpha.

The project includes construction of a new concrete bridge, thirty feet in width.

The Kentucky firm also has the contract for widening and in some cases building a total of eight new bridges along the Greene County portion of the highway.

PRODUCES GAS

TIFFIN, O., March 24.—People sat up and took notice recently when a gas well struck on the Powell farm in McCutchenville flowed at the rate of 200 cubic feet per day.

The same people stood up and yawned, when later, the well was driven about nine feet deeper and the gas-flow increased to two million cubic feet a day.

MUNICIPAL COURT

FINED; JAILED

Arrested by police Monday morning, Everett Thoroman, 21, S. Detroit St., was fined \$25 and costs for intoxication by Municipal Judge E. Dawson Smith Tuesday morning and was committed to jail in default of payment.

EX-CONVICT MAY SOLVE PEN PROBLEM

COLUMBUS, O., March 24.—Suggestions of a former convict may assist in solving part of Ohio's penitentiary problems. It has been disclosed by Warden P. E. Thomas.

According to Warden Thomas, the ex-convict's plan is calculated to reduce the penitentiary's population and at the same time increase by 60 per cent, the output of the two state brick plants.

Should the state favorably consider the plan, 1,300 prisoners would be housed at the two plants instead of the 660 now accommodated. Working days would be reduced from eight to four hours with two shifts manufacturing brick.

To carry out the plan two additional dormitories would have to be built at the two plants, necessitating an outlay of \$150,000 according to the Warden.

The idea of the former convict was developed after he had been transferred from the Ohio pen to the Junction City brick plant where he worked in brick and clay kilns.

ASK SETTLEMENT

HADDAM, Conn., March 24.—Cokaponsett state forest, the largest in Connecticut, sprawls over much of this town in the course of its 7,890 acres of fine timber and is almost a complete delight to local residents. The only apparent flaw is the fact that the owners who sold the land to the state had failed to pay taxes to the amount of \$178, a good-sized sum here. But the shortage has only just been discovered and the town is asking the state to settle up.

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M'KINLEY HOME TO BE NATIONAL SHRINE

CANTON, O., March 24.—Restoration of the home of President William McKinley as a national shrine is expected to be resumed immediately following the removal of legal obstacles when heirs of the Meyer estate signed an agreement giving the city clear title to Meyer's Park and waiving all claims to the land.

Removal of the McKinley home to the park was started 17/2 years ago but was held up pending the disposition of certain legal technicalities in the city's deed for the site. Funds for the restoration

of the home, from where McKinley conducted his front porch campaign, were raised by Spanish-American War veterans.

LOAN AID NEEDED

SANDUSKY, O., March 24.—Following the receipt of their loans on their adjusted service certificates, 144 World War veterans checked out of the Old Soldiers' and Sailors' home near here. The veterans' loans have reduced the population at the home to 309, officials said.

EAST END NEWS

David Lee Relief Corps, No. 345, will meet Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Mary Harris, E. Market St.

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"Golf Chats," Bobby Jones, (NBC network), 8:00 p. m.
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Ruth Nichols Interview, (NBC network), 10:30 p. m.
Guy Lombardo's Royal Canadians, (CBS network), 11:00 p. m.

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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

And I gave my heart to know wisdom, and to know madness and folly: I perceived that this also is vexation of spirit. For in much wisdom is much grief; and he that increaseth knowledge increaseth sorrow.—Ecclesiastes, 1, 17, 18.

MARKETING RESEARCH

Dr. Julius Klein, assistant secretary of commerce, gave the business men of the country Ten Commandments of good advice in a recent radio talk. One of his principles was that they must not overlook marketing research.

There Dr. Klein hit at one of the worst faults of many business men. They seem to think they can go along year after year without studying the demands of their market. They feel that there has always been a demand for the exact kind of material they have made, and they are confident that it always will continue just the same.

This speaker probably had in mind principally the larger corporations, many of which maintain special research departments which study the needs of their market in the most scientific way. However, any concern, big or little, has to keep studying the needs of its market as best it can. If it fails to do so with some thoroughness, it suffers.

People's tastes and ideas are changing in everything. In such things as clothing and house furnishings, styles change rapidly. The fact that people want one kind of thing for a time, is fairly sure indication that they will soon get tired of it, and demand something else. They like novelty, and any new thing, even if it is not so good, is likely to appeal to them and strike them as beautiful.

In foods, new ways of presenting products constantly prove popular. In mechanical appliances, new methods are constantly being used. The commercial world is a shifting panorama of change, and nothing stays put where it was.

The business man, therefore, has a serious proposition on hand to adapt his products to this rapidly shifting market. The salespeople of any retail store should be keenly alert to the popular demand. With constant watch on the tastes, needs, and desires of the people, many concerns that otherwise would have failed to keep up with the times, will know how to adjust themselves to the constant changes that keep coming.

HITLER DISAPPROVES

Adolf Hitler formally disapproves of the action of some of his followers in murdering a communist leader. At the same time he will pay out of his own pocket the cost of counsel to defend them from the legal consequences of this political assassination. One cannot help feeling that the contrition of the leader of the German fascists falls considerably short of what might be expected in a well-balanced mind.

Any fanatic who attracts a following by incendiary speeches invites acts of violence. The leader himself may be temperamentally incapable of clubbing to death a man who disagrees with him; but his words, working upon other temperaments, are capable of inciting such a crime. The Mormon massacre was inspired by the unbridled tongue of Brigham Young, although Young himself never intended that bloodshed should be resorted to. A good many lives have been lost in industrial disputes in this and other countries by oratory running amok.

The responsibility for the consequences of incendiary exhortations to large groups of people, which always contain irresponsible elements, cannot morally be shifted to those who act upon the exhortations, whatever the legal incidence of the responsibility may be. When the chickens come home to roost, with their wings dripping with the blood of fellow human beings, a truly contrite person, who realizes that he has unleashed passions he could not control, would not seek to condone his own guilt in the matter.

Mahatma Gandhi is a living proof that it isn't necessarily the person who puts up the best front who really has the goods.

Our big objection to a patent toaster is its disinclination to do a little hurry up work in the morning when the bus is coming in just so many minutes.

We have never been able to understand the mental processes of the person who tries to further a "great moral cause" by resorting to tricky tactics.

Other Editorial Thoughts

THE DIRECT PRIMARY

The proposal before the state legislature to supplant the direct primary with the convention plan reflects a growing public conviction that the system of electing state and congressional officials in Ohio is unacceptably faulty. Correction will come eventually, either through the present state assembly or a subsequent one. The sooner the better.

In 1912 when Ohio abandoned the convention system it sought to eliminate evils growing out of abuses of the system. But the supposed remedy turned out worse than the ill. Abuses of the direct primary are more flagrant than the farthest extremes of abuses under the convention system.

Party responsibility in Ohio and other states employing direct primaries often is a jest. Legislators are their own masters, thanks to the spathy of electors. Incompetency is rife, encouraged by the ease with which second-class candidates can secure nominations. The incentive to keep public service on a high plane for the sake of party solidarity and public respect has been almost entirely lost.

Many able citizens who might be induced to seek office if their campaign expenses could be shared by an organization find themselves helpless to compete with wealthy candidates who are willing to disperse fortunes to win office. In Michigan, Illinois, Pennsylvania and Alabama, election scandals have reflected discredit on a system that erects a barrier in the path of candidates of moderate means.

Organized political groups cannot afford scandals, but decentralization of party responsibility by widespread use of the direct primary has made them helpless.

The foundation of government in the United States is the two-party system, which has been violated grossly by the loose provisions of the direct primary. A distressing list of scandals, inefficiency and irresponsibility is its score, though it was devised originally to correct the self-same evils.

Is it not plain that, seeking to better the conduct of politics, Ohio went to a dangerous extreme by adopting the direct primary? It is time now for the pendulum to swing back to the more moderate device of conventions. The worst evils of that system are minor in comparison with those common under the direct primary.—Portsmouth Times.

THE QUESTION BOX

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Please give me some information concerning coral. Is it valuable? Red coral is used for ornaments because of its fine color and the high polish which can be obtained. It is found at great depths in the Mediterranean, the Red Sea, the Persian gulf, and other localities. Japanese pink coral and black coral are among the more valuable kinds. Coral was used for ornamental purposes by the Gauls.

Mark Twain
Is Mark Twain still alive?
No. Samuel Clemens (Mark Twain) died April 21, 1910.

Pension
Is there a national old age pension law?
No. There was a pension bill before the senate last session, introduced by Senator C. C. Dill, of Washington, providing for an appropriation of \$10,000,000 as federal aid to states enacting an old age pension law. A hearing was held in Washington in February, and 10 states sent representatives, urging the necessity for such legislation. The National Manufacturers' Association and the National Metal Trades Association appeared to oppose it. The bill never reached the floor of the senate.

(NOTE: The following pamphlets may be obtained by sending 10 cents in coin and a large stamped self-addressed envelope for each to Central Press Bureau P. O. Box 126 Washington, D. C.: "Who's Who in Hollywood," "Seeing Washington," "Swimming," "Charles P. Stewart's treatise on "Our Government," and "The World War.")

Bo-Broadway

By JOSEPH VAN RAALTE

NEW YORK CITY, N. Y.—A ham actor in an itinerant stock company faced the proprietor of a small mid-West hotel, with the plaint that for two days there had been neither soap nor towels in his room.

"Waal," drawled Mine Host, "you got a tongue, ain't you?"

"I have," replied the actor, "but I'm not a cat."

IT'S ALL VIEWPOINT
Prof. Bob Rogers, of Massachusetts Tech, who made the front page some time back by advising young men of Boston to be snobs, is issuing a bunch of bound leaves entitled: "How to Be Interesting." There are many things in this world interesting for the wrong reason.

A pol-cat is interesting.
So is Supreme Court Justice Holmes.

It all depends.

A local merchant advertised a sale on dollar dresses.

One hour before the sale, twenty policemen—ten mounted and ten on foot—were on hand to maintain order among the four lines of women that extended five blocks.

When the doors of the shop were opened forty more policemen, two emergency squads and three ambulances had to be summoned. Dear old sophisticated New York!

BRAINS AND BEAUTY

Take it from the International Beauty Shop Owners, the time has come to divorce the two words Beautiful and Dumb.

If you're beautiful you can't possibly be dumb.

Children for example: One beautiful asserts that beauty and intelligence in young children are in "direct relationship." At least 75 per cent of the "plain" children feel their deficiencies so acutely that it interferes with their mental progress. Make them pretty and their marks in spelling and arithmetic will improve in direct ratio.

HANDSOME IS

We don't mind the beauticians pawing around among the adults. When you look at the improvement discernible in some famous pairs, it's positively impressive.

But let the youngsters alone. There's nothing more attractive than a freckle-nosed kid with loving-cup ears, grinning up at you with a couple of front teeth missing.

That's a lot of hokey about "plain" youngsters "feeling their deficiencies" so far as looks go. Babies don't worry their little heads about charm; and where are you going to find a set of parents, worthy the name, who will admit, even to themselves, that their soggy-eyed, slab-sided offspring isn't all there is, multiplied by two, in the matter of beauty?

The human race will be in a bad way when mothers cease to name their mentally diluted sons Ralph Waldo Emerson.

CHEF AND DIPLOMAT

An explorer named Gordon Mac Creagh rose to his full height the other day and told a crowd of dames that women are becoming disinterested in cooking and as a consequence, men have to devote more and more thought to food, if they are to get a square meal.

And right on top of that comes word that Oscar of the Waldorf never cooks at home and wouldn't think of venturing a suggestion.

THE UGLY DUCKLING!



TAXATION CAN BE MADE INTERESTING SUBJECT, CONGRESSMAN REVEALS

CHARLES P. STEWART

WASHINGTON.—"Taxation a dull subject!" exclaimed Congressman Henry T. Rainey, astonished.

The point had been made that it is impossible to interest the public in fiscal questions, because they can be explained only in terms of dry figures, of which the average individual tires before he has arrived at any clear understanding of their meaning.

A member for more than a generation of the house of representatives' ways and means committee, in which all federal taxation measures originate, the Illinois congressman took the position that

there is nothing impossible about it. "There is almost nothing," he insisted, "that taxation can't be made to accomplish."

"For example," continued the Prairie State lawmaker, "congress once taxed a terrible disease out of existence."

"It was called phossy-jaw, a vocational complaint prevalent among makers of old-fashioned phosphorus matches. The bones of their faces were attacked, due to working in the fumes from the chemicals. Horrible disfigurement ensued, followed by agonizing death in a few years. There was no known cure, and seemingly no method of preventing, short of abandoning the use of matches, for the manufacturers said phosphorus could not be omitted from their formula without making them prohibitively expensive."

"We had a delegation of the afflicted workers before the ways and means committee. They were dying by degrees. There was no saving them. They simply had come to show us the havoc that the industry was creating."

"We slapped on a tax sufficient to kill the market for those matches, whether or not though it drove the country back to the use of flint and steel. Any straightway the manufacturers said phosphorus could not be omitted from their formula without making them prohibitively expensive."

"When congress decided to prevent phossy-jaw from continuing to issue their own currency," proceeded the congressman, "it didn't prohibit them from doing so."

"They can issue their own bills now if they choose."

"But a tax was placed on it—a tax too high to be offset by interest on such circulation. That stopped them, with no further argument."

"Income taxation," said the Illinoisan, "could very easily prevent the piling up of the huge fortunes, of which we are beginning to hear so many complaints in these times of unemployment, due to the fact of overproduction—which, of course, means that a few have more than they need and others not nearly enough."

"And inheritance levies could break up the great estates which already have been accumulated, even though their holders were to dodge taxation during their lifetimes, by investment in tax-exempt securities."

"Our whole civilization could readily be altered by resort only to the taxation method."

"If, as some folk think, chain merchandising is a menace, it is a simple matter," pointed out the representative, "to break it up, by taxation of the multiplication of units, thus avoiding the counter plea of discrimination. Indeed, a few states are initiating it, and it seems to be standing the test of the courts."

"Personally, I am not a believer in the taxation of corporation profits. Such imposts are passed on to consumers. Taxes on their shareholders' dividends really reach the source; or, if not, estate taxes reach it ultimately, anyway."

"Of course, if the end desired is not merely the raising of revenue, but the accomplishment of an economic change of one sort or another, the taxation rate must be sufficient to accomplish it. A low rate may not do it, but there is no

revolution which cannot be effected by means of the tax fixing and tax collecting power."

"And if it were not for customs taxation," said the congressman, "there immediately would be an end to all armies and navies. There would be no further need for them, under world free trade."

"Armament limitation? Why, armament abandonment would follow automatically, were all commercial barriers abolished."

"Wars would cease from that instant. What would there be to fight about?"

"But it would have to be a worldwide system, and that's Utopian."

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

By MRS. MARY MORTON

MENU HINT

Spareribs, English Style
Vegetable Salad
Creamed or Buttered Cabbage
Deep Apple Pie Tea

For the vegetable salad in this economical menu I would suggest raw carrot, celery, onion, a bit of the heart of the cabbage you are going to cook, with a little apple. Lettuce may be added if it is obtainable and not too expensive.

Today's Recipes

Spareribs, English Style—Two pounds spareribs, four cups bread crumbs, one-half teaspoon pepper, one-half teaspoon salt, dash sage, one onion, four potatoes. Cover bottom of baking dish with bread crumbs, seasoned with salt, pepper, sage and one large onion finely chopped. Have ready pared potatoes, lay these on the crumbs, then put spareribs on top of potatoes. Add a little water and bake in moderate oven one hour or more until meat and potatoes are slightly browned.

Deep Apple Pie—Put a rim of pie crust around the edge of a deep baking dish, fill dish with sliced apples and season well with sugar, cinnamon or nutmeg and a little butter or margarine. Cover with pie crust and bake.

Suggestions
Home Made Desk
An old-fashioned walnut commode was remodeled into a child's desk, by making rows of pigeonholes three tiers high across the top, and placing the finishing rail upon them at the back.

A hinged cover was made for the drawer, which served as a writing bed when partly pulled out.

Shelves were fitted in the lower compartment to be used for books.

This one was finished in the natural wood, but would be equally attractive if painted to match a color scheme.

Fabric gloves are quite as simple for the home laundress to wash as hosiery or silk underwear. They should be squeezed in a suds made with plenty of soap and tepid water, rinsed and puffed up by blowing before they are laid out to dry.

Fastidious dressing requires that gloves must be spick-and-span inside as well as outside. When washed, turn them inside out and gently rub the suds over the inner surface.

Asks More Data On Reducing

By LOGAN CLENDENING, M. D.

Since we suggested the forming of reducing clubs in different neighborhoods and different cities, there is another thing I would like to see proved or disproved.

The statement often is made that you can reduce where you need to. That you can lose, for instance, around the hips and nowhere else on the body. I do not know whether this is true or not. It is reasonable to suppose that since the hips and buttocks have a great deal of fat, and fat is the tissue the body breaks down in the reducing process, that the hips would naturally reduce more rapidly than any other part of the body during a reducing cure.

I have grave doubts, however, whether this is true of the arms and calves and ankles for which special exercises are also prescribed. But I am willing to be convinced—and would like to obtain accurate measurements, the results of experiments.

Measurements for ideal proportions show that for women aged 20 to 40 the hips should be 32 inches at a height under 5 feet; 34 inches at 5 feet; 34 inches at 5 feet 3 inches; 36 at 5 feet 6 inches; 38 at 5 feet 8 inches. Over the age of 40, 33 inches when under 5 feet; 35 inches at 5 feet 1 inch, up to 3 inches; 38 at 5 feet 6 inches, and 40 at 5 feet 8 inches. The measurement should be made at the level of the trochanter of the femur.

Exercises used to reduce the hips are:

1. Standing position, arms extended. Squat down, rising on the toes until you sit on your heels.
2. Standing position, raise extended right leg to level of hips in front of body. Same with left leg.
3. Standing position. Swing right leg out to side of body as far as possible. Same with left leg.
4. Lying on back. Bend knees and bend hips, bringing knees up to

wards chin so that forelegs are flat on abdomen.

5. Lying on back. Do bicycle movements.

6. Lying on side. Raise legs straight up and down, in scissors movement. Roll over on other side and repeat with other leg.

QUESTIONS FROM READERS
Mrs. L. Abilene, Kansas: "In using cured hams and bacon, is the raw meat safe to use so far as the trichina is concerned? I have felt that a cure that would preserve meat would destroy trichina germs. When slicing such meat preparatory to cooking, the children and I enjoy eating thin slices raw."

Answer: The United States Bureau of Animal Industry requires a minimum temperature of 58.33 degrees centigrade at which pork products must be cooked in establishments operating under federal inspection.

An authority says: "Thorough cooking so that all parts of the meat reach the boiling point, destroys the parasites; but in large joints the central parts are not always raised to this temperature. Salting and smoking the flesh are not always sufficient, and experiments have shown that animals were readily infected when fed with portions of the pickled and smoked meat as prepared in America."

EDITOR'S NOTE: Six pamphlets by Dr. Clendening can now be obtained by sending 10 cents in coin for each and a self-addressed, stamped envelope to Dr. Logan Clendening in care of this paper, or Central Press Association, 1435 East Twelfth street, Cleveland, O. The pamphlets are: "Indigestion and Constipation," "Reducing and Gaining," "Infant Feeding," "Instructions for the Treatment of Diabetes," "Feminine Hygiene" and "The Care of the Hair and Skin."

Trust Girl To Choose Mate

By MRS. VIRGINIA LEE

"If my baby only gets safely through the teething period I will cease to worry about her," said a young mother.

Alas, poor mother, teething is the least of the worries you will have with your children. Wait until they go to school and learn to swear, and all the other childish ailments and fight with other people's children.

And then wait until they are courting or being courted, as the case may be, and then see what worries you will have. Not a pleasant prospect, you think, but then, who wants a care-free life?

Just an Anxious Mother writes of her daughter who is 22 and has two boy friends. One the mother approves of, the other—she is afraid the daughter is falling in love with the latter—"doesn't care to talk to my husband and me. He seems to feel himself so much better than we."

Dear Anxious Mother, if you could only stop worrying about your daughter! If I could make you stop by just telling you to stop. Your daughter may be enamored of this new young man for the time, and she may not. But don't you suppose if the first boy renews his interest and asks her for her hand, she will recognize that he is the only one she really loves and will be happiest with? She must have inherited some of her mother's good common sense, as expressed in your letter. Surely she won't marry a man who thinks—or acts—as if her dear parents are not good enough for him to talk to.

You couldn't prevent it, anyhow, if she did want to marry this second chap, so don't make yourself ill by thinking about it. She'll need you to be strong and well in either case, and I, for one, will trust her to do what is for the happiness of all. So cheer up. I shall be interested to know which one she does take, if either.

Doughnuts: It is all right for girls of your age to go out occasionally with your schoolmates if your parents approve. If your parents do not approve of letting the boys kiss you, that is enough. Don't give in. It's a mighty good rule to obey your parents. Let the boy suggest going to a show, but if you want to go to another girl's house, you might suggest that. The reason I say let the boy suggest the show, is that he might not have money for taking you to the show, and be embarrassed if you spoke of it.

I can't promise to give you an answer through the column by a certain time. I give them as soon as I can.

A Pugilist: If the girl friend is willing to take a chance with you. I don't know why you shouldn't go right ahead and woo and win her. Does she know your history? Most people make mistakes, you know. It is unfortunate that you did all the things you hint at, but as you are sorry and are making a thorough man of yourself, I think you have every reason to hope for future happiness. It takes a good deal of strength of character to make oneself over after such a slip. Congratulations and good luck.

Worried Lou, You are of age, Lou, and therefore are your own mistress. You can leave home if your father doesn't give you any freedom. So do what will give you the most happiness.

Concentrate On The Arms

By GLADYS GLAD

Some thoughtful little Pollyanna has just written in to impress upon my consciousness the fact that the vernal season is just around the corner, and to complain that she personally will need a mighty lot of "fixin' up" before she can do justice to her new spring finery.

In the first place," she groans, "my arms are in simple an awful state. And—"

But why go further? Let's concentrate on arms just now. For these portions of the anatomy observe do come in for plenty of observation during the balmy days. Bare arms are as much a part of the summer scene as sunburned noses and freckled faces. And if you're a wise baby, you'll cast a critical eye over yours right here and now!

In this appraisal, consider your arms first of all from the standpoint of contour. Are your arms firm and smooth, or have they developed that flabbiness that so often accompanies middle age? Are they pleasantly rounded, or have they acquired a scrawny, undernourished appearance? Are they gracefully slender, or do they swell in unbending bulges of fat?

Exercise will eliminate any flabbiness, will break up any fatty tissues, will develop and round out any scrawny contours. It will help to make your arms as slender and shapely as those of Kay Francis, as graceful and expressive as those of Lily Damita. Practice these vigorously every day, and see if you don't get results!

Stand erect, arms extended upward. Bending at the waistline, swing the arms down in front of the body so that the hands touch the ankles, and then continue up to first position.

Stand erect, arms extended sideways at shoulder level. Rotate the arms from the shoulders, describing complete circles with the fingers.

ger tips in a forward direction. Then reverse the direction of the circling.

Stand erect, arms at the sides. Keeping the elbows stiff, clap the hands overhead. Then, with the elbows still held stiffly, swing the arms downward, and clap the hands behind the back.

GLADYS GLAD

ANSWERS TO QUERIES

Red Nose
Tillie: A red nose usually results from poor circulation. Take deep breathing exercises when you rise in the morning. Get plenty of exercise and fresh air. Also, eliminate highly seasoned foods and stimulating drinks from your daily menu.

Eyebrows
Four Country Girls: Apply cold cream to the eyebrows, and brush them into shape with an eyebrow brush. Then pluck out the stray hairs. When the plucking has been completed, apply with hazel to close the pores.

Acne
Roseanne: Acne is a cutaneous inflammation, and requires the services of a skilled skin specialist or physician. If you are afflicted with this disease, consult an expert as soon as possible.

Editor's Note: While it is impossible for Miss Glad to answer beauty questions by mail, she will be happy to send you her pamphlets on "The New Figure" and "Beauty Culture" if you will write her, care of this paper, enclosing a stamped, self-addressed envelope and 10 cents in coin for each, to cover cost of printing and handling. For the articles on "Care of the Hands and Nails" and "Care of the Feet and Legs" 2 cents in coin for each, and a self-addressed, stamped envelope are required. Personal questions beauty will be answered through Miss Glad's daily column.

SPORT
SNAP
SHOTSFRAMED
by Phil

Maybe it was just as well Xenia Central High basketball were eliminated in the Southwestern district tournament at Dayton. Had the Buccaneers won the district title they would have been badly crippled for the state finals at Columbus last week-end.

As it turned out Harold Glass, regular center, and David Short, reserve center, contracted the mumps; Jimmie Ralls, first string substitute, was laid low with blood poisoning in one leg, and Elwood Shaffer, another member of the first string squad, acquired the grip last week.

Minus the services of not only their regular center, but their reserve center and two first string subs, Xenia cagers would not have cut much of a figure at Columbus.

We just thought we would mention this fact to assuage to some extent any lingering disappointment and apply a little healing salve to wounded feelings resulting from the elimination of the tues in the regional classic.

Wrap your fingers around a pencil and let us figure out a few statistics showing that Portsmouth High, which won the Class A state court title Saturday, is only six points better than Xenia Central's quintet. Here's how:

Xenia lost to Cincinnati Hughes two points; Hamilton won the district title, defeating Hughes by one point; Hamilton was eliminated at Columbus by Canton McKinley by two points in an overtime period; Canton McKinley lost to Portsmouth in the finals by one point, also in an extra period.

It is our understanding that five members of the Buccaneer court squad, exclusive of the senior manager, will be awarded letters in recognition of the services during the 1930-31 season. The five players will also receive miniature gold basketballs as was the case last season.

Hirsch Bell, Freddie Dalton, Harold Glass, Howard Thompson and Lester Price are the five Buccaneers cagers who will be awarded X's, while Ervin Hyman, senior manager, will also get one.

These players played practically all of the time in every game and none of the reserve members of the squad had a sufficient number of quarters to their credit to merit a letter.

Spring football practice will be inaugurated at Xenia Central High a week after next and will continue for about three weeks, it is reported.

The Buccaneers will be without the services of Bell, Adair, Kinsey, Spahr, Price, McClellan and a few others who escape our memory, next fall but plenty of seasoned material will be on hand, including Dalton, Thompson, Cramer, Ralls, Hyman, Price, Hall, Frazer, Wagner and others.

Xenia Central High School authorities wish to acknowledge their gratitude to the following organizations and individuals who made possible the trip taken by the Buccaneer basketball squad to Columbus Friday and Saturday to attend the finals of the state basketball tournament: Rotary Club, Downtown Country Club, Xenia Retail Merchants Association, Fred Lang, J. A. Chew and Puri Cox.

The Schmidt Oil Co., and the Xenia Shoes clashed in a Recreation League bowling match Monday night and when the smoke of battle had cleared away the second-place Schmidt team was mourning the unexpected loss of three straight games.

Victims of an astonishing upset, the second placers are now far behind the champion Gr. Co. L. Co. with small chance of overtaking the league leaders.

The Xenia Shoes collected a three-game total of 2,653 as compared with only 2,380 for the losers. "Dinty" Moore had a series of 585 for the winners and Malavazos topped the Schmidt bowlers with 517. Box score:

Xenia Shoes	186	200	199
Birk	153	164	197
Christ	184	183	151
Manor	157	144	169
Bertram	178	177	211
Totals	858	868	927

Schmidt Oil Co.

White	169	168	159
Schmidt	138	178	159
Donley	158	155	194
Muhlenhard	146	136	129
Malavazos	176	170	171
Totals	787	801	792

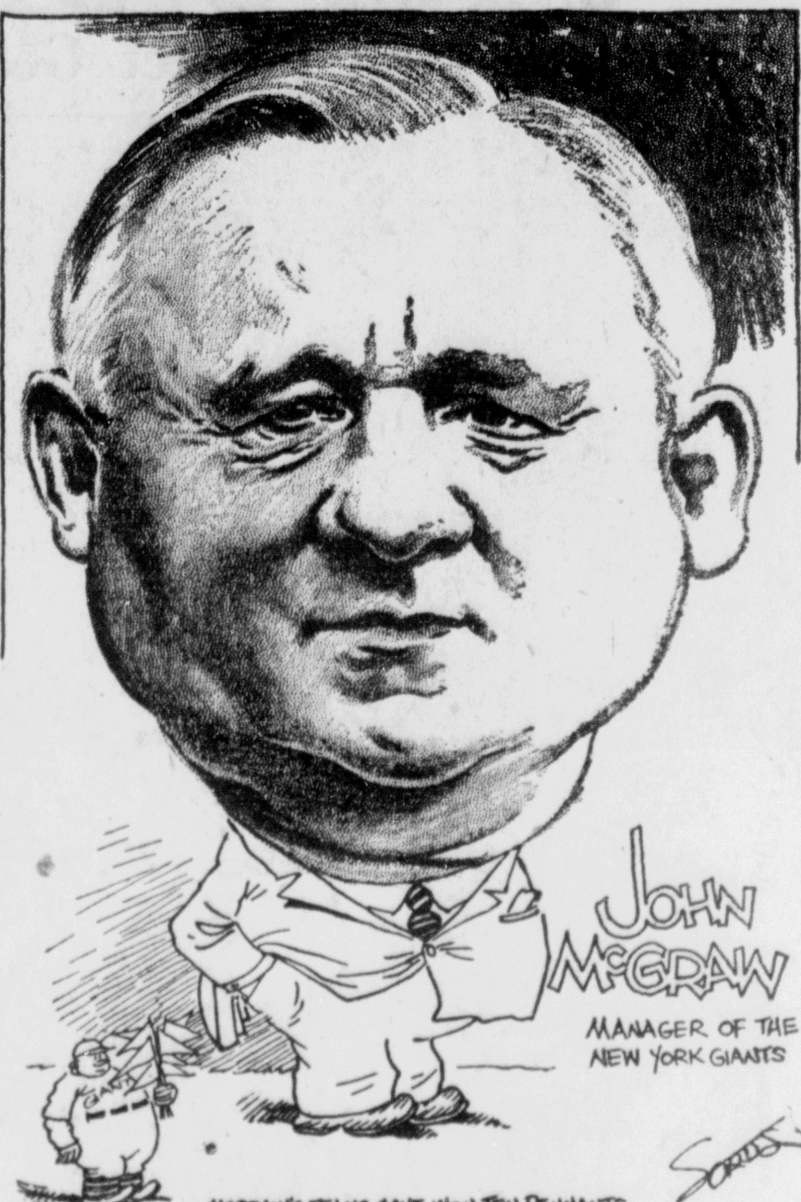
HONOR PLAYERS

ATHLETIC ability of twelve members of the Cedarville College basketball squad will be fittingly recognized at an assembly Thursday when a dozen players, including seven seniors, will be awarded letters for services rendered during the 1930-31 basketball campaign.

The Cedarville mentor also disclosed that letterman on the squad recently elected Preston Crough, senior and star guard, as honorary captain for the past season.

MEET THE MANAGER

BY JACK SORDS

JOHN MCGRAW
MANAGER OF THE
NEW YORK GIANTS

John Joseph McGraw, in the twenty-ninth year of his reign as manager of the New York Giants, is laying plans which he hopes will return him and his club to the heights of pennantdom once more.

The Little Napoleon hasn't tasted victory since 1924, a stretch of six years, the longest flagless period he has ever experienced.

McGraw's record as leader of the Giants is unsurpassed. In twenty-eight seasons he has won ten pennants, won three world championships, has finished second ten times, third four times, and has

finished in the first division twenty six times.

Up to and including 1924 McGraw averaged a pennant every other year. Since then his teams have averaged third place.

McGraw was born in Truxton, N. Y., April 7, 1873. At the age of 17 he joined the Olean, N. Y., team as an infielder. Subsequently he played second and third base for Cedar Rapids, Ia.; Baltimore, Md., and St. Louis.

McGraw is a product of the famous Baltimore Orioles, that noted school for managers which at one time had on its roster McGraw, Wilbert Robinson, the late Hughie Jennings, Bill Gleason and Joe Kelley, all becoming noted big league players and all but Kelley pennant winners.

The Little Napoleon succeeded to the management of the Orioles in 1899, but shortly thereafter was sent to St. Louis. Wilbert Robinson, now Brooklyn manager, succeeded him. In 1901 McGraw came to the Yankees, but a quarrel in 1902 with League President Ban Johnson caused him to leave that team with some of his star players and throw in his lot with the New York Giants.

Next: Walter Johnson

The services of those astute gum-shoing Holmes, Messrs. Sherlock Holmes, Craig Kennedy and Phil Vance, it seems, are sorely needed down south. There is a great mystery to be solved. Call it "The Baseball Murder Case."

"The Adventure of the Busted Horsehide" or what you will—it remains a very baffling business.

Agents for this department and many metropolitan gazettes are at work on the case but report no progress. The mystery deepens and the plot thickens daily.

Is this, my dear Watson, is this? What has become of that so-called "dealer" ball?

Not so long ago a horde of happy hoppers embarked for the southland singing psalms of praise for the new "dealer" ball, a thick-skinned, heavy-stitched sphere which, it was promised, would remove much of the buffoonery in baseball batting averages.

"Wait till we get our lunch hooks on that new egg," said the pitchers, one and all, "and you'll see some hot hurling. Us and the new ball are going to make life simply unbearable for all these pseudo home run hitters this season."

At the same time, nervous batsmen looking forward with fear to a season of trying to hit a baseball with all the resiliency of a bowling ball and the bounce of an overripe watermelon, also went south.

But it hasn't happened. Not yet, anyway.

Batters in training camps and exhibition games continue to murder the ball as of yore. The box scores continue to drip with the bloody details of myriad home runs and triples, five and six-run batting rallies and all the other fireworks formerly blamed on the erstwhile lively ball.

A shining example is a double-header played between Detroit and the San Francisco Pacific Coast League club. The minor leaguers nailed Tiger hurlers in a double-header for eighteen runs and twenty-six hits.

The day before that cataclysm the Phillies and Robins tangled and the result was a total thirty hits for both teams in nine innings. Brooklyn won by the old familiar score of 13 to 11.

Those who believe that the new "dealer" ball will curb hitting in the regular season have two alibis to offer:

1—The pitchers are not yet in shape.

2—The pitchers are taking it easy.

Maybe so. But there is no reason why pitchers as a group should be taking things slower this spring than they have done in the past. The hits in length and frequency are about on a par with what they have been during recent training periods. The new "dealer" ball ought to be making some sort of a difference in hitting.

There is a growing suspicion that the new "dealer" ball isn't such a stranger after all. It wouldn't be so surprising, after all, to discover the new sphere is just our old friend, the lively ball, with a mustache.

RENO SURPRISED!
GAMBLING THERE
IS NOT NEWS

RENO, Nev., March 24.—Residents of Reno cocked their eyebrows today at the growing interest being manifested by outsiders in the gambling which is now holding full sway in the state.

Games of chance are no novelty in this state, they point out, although gambling was just recently sanctioned by the law.

Legalizing of gambling has caused considerable talk here, such as the erection of a million dollar casino, a race track and so forth, but those with money will probably be wary in investing too much of it in something which may be swept from the boards two years hence.

There is no doubt, however, but what the new law bringing gambling into the open has increased business to a considerable extent and the clubs are making arrangements to enlarge so that the increased trade may be handled.

Roulette seems to be the most popular game under the new regime, but the owners of establishments are hampered by the dearth of wheels.

Down
in
Dixie
Base Ball Notes

By Central Press

FORT MYERS, Fla., March 20.—The pitching surprise of the Champion Philadelphia Athletics this spring training trip is a fellow most everyone thought was through—last season. His name is Big Ed Rommel.

Big Ed looks fine this spring and may displace George C. Shaw as the A's No. 1 right-hander this season.

It has been several seasons since Rommel was moving them down. He came to the A's from Newark in 1920 and was not a winner at first. He had a couple of off years in 1920 and 1921, went great guns in 1922, slipped down in 1923 and 1924, came back strong in 1925 and then faded again.

However, this spring the knuckle ball hurler has taken courage with the new ball and has been showing his boss some fancy tossing.

When Connie Mack was being criticized for holding on to Ed, the tall tutor said nothing. But he had faith in Rommel, realized the pitching brains Big Ed owned, and now it seems that Connie was justified. Rommel has at least one more fine season left in his system and this may be it.

In addition to Rommel's showing, the A's have been heartened by the work of Hank McDonald, a Pacific coast "find."

McDonald, though only 20, looks like the goods and has been working better than most of the rest of the staff. If Hank clicks and Rommel stages his come-back, Connie Mack will have all the supplementary mound service to Lefty Grove, Rube Walberg and George Earnshaw that he will need.

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M'CORMICK AND BRIDE IN HAVANA

ROBERT EDESON IS
DEAD; FAMED ACTOR

HOLLYWOOD, Cal., March 24.—Robert Edeson, 62, featured character actor of the screen and veteran of the American stage, died today at his home here after an illness that kept him confined to his home for more than four months.

The end came to the noted actor this morning, while his wife, Aida, knelt by his bedside.

Hollywood and the entire motion picture and stage world was thrown into grief by his death.

It was reported that Edeson had died following a heart attack, although many of his friends did not know he suffered from a heart ailment.

Following are sample meals and their cost: Breakfast—prunes, whole wheat, milk, corn and meat scrapple, oleomargarine and molasses, cost 24 cents for five persons; lunch—macaroni, cheese, bread and oleomargarine, cost 25 cents; dinner—salmon loaf, baked potato, creamed onions, buttered dry peas, raw carrots and baked apples with milk, cost 50 cents.

NEW YORK, March 24.—After an early dip to a slightly lower price level, most of the active stocks made an effort to recover their lost ground in a dull and unsteady market this morning.

Losses of a point or more were recorded in a dozen or more of the well known shares at the opening, but in many cases these proved to be the low prices of the morning session, with recoveries almost immediately under way.

Wheat, lost about a cent a bushel in the early trading, cotton sold lower and a new reduction of a quarter-cent a pound was ordered in export copper. Despite uncertainty over the immediate future of the wheat market and the expectation of unfavorable earnings statements for the first quarter of 1931, there was no deluge of stock offerings on the big board and after the first period prices moved within an extremely small radius.

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ARRANGE SPEAKERS
FOR EDUCATIONAL
MEET IN COLUMBUS

COLUMBUS, O., March 24.—Sir Willmot Lewis, Washington correspondent of the London Times, will be the fourth speaker for the general sessions of the eleventh annual Ohio State educational conferences April 9-11 at Ohio State University. He will also address the journalism section of the conference April 10.

The British journalist will share the general program of Friday evening, April 10, with Carlos Davila, Chilean ambassador to the United States. Speakers at the general meeting Thursday evening, April 9, which will formally open the conference are President James R. Angell of Yale, and former Secretary of War Newton D. Baker.

Nearly 150 educators and other persons are on the conference program, just completed. Of the total, forty-five are from Ohio, outside of Columbus, and thirty-nine are from other states. Besides the two general sessions of the conference, each devoted to a special phase of education will be held.

Ohioans from elsewhere than Columbus will participate in the program include the following: Elizabeth Alling of Cincinnati; Dean E. J. Ashbaugh of Miami University; Superintendent C. V. Courter of Dayton; Vernon S. Culp of Akron West High School; Ralph Dugdale, assistant superintendent, Toledo; Margaret Dunbar of Kent State College; Mary E. Dwyer of Robinson Junior High School, Toledo.

MARKETS

LIVE STOCK

CINCINNATI LIVESTOCK

CINCINNATI, March 24.—Hogs: receipts 2400, holdover none, market active, generally 15c higher, better grade 160-240 lbs., \$8.35@8.50; mostly \$8.50 on 220 lbs. down; practically no heavier weights here, light lights steady to strong; spots 25c higher; 120-150 lbs. mostly \$8; sows strong, bulk \$6.25@6.50.

Cattle receipts 300, calves 450; market generally steady, supply very light, few common and medium steers and heifers \$6.50@7.75; some good steers upward to \$8.50; most beef cows, \$4.75@5.50; few low cutters and cutters \$2.75@4; bulls \$3.25 down; weaners active, \$5.00@5.50; better grades showing full advance; good and choice \$9@10; lower grades \$8.50 down.

Sheep \$2.25, market steady, better grade handy weight lambs, \$9@9.50; common and medium \$6.50@8; few spring lambs \$16; fat ewes \$3@4.

Receipts Monday: cattle 912, calves 254, hogs 1866, sheep 77. Shipments Monday: cattle 99, calves none, hogs 675, sheep none.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, March 24.—Hogs: receipts 9,000; market 10c higher; top \$8.00; bulk \$6.40@7.50; heavy weight \$6.85@7.50; medium weight \$7.30@7.90; light weight \$7.75@8.00; light weights \$7.55@8.00; packing sows \$6.25@6.75; pigs \$7.25@7.75; holdovers 8,000.

Cattle: receipts 6,000; market steady; calves: receipts 4,000; market steady. Beef steers: good and choice \$9.50@10.50; common and medium \$6.00@9.00; yearlings \$6.00@10.50; butcher cattle: heifers \$5.00@9.00; cows \$4.00@6.50; bulls \$4.00@6.25; calves \$6.50@9.00; feeder steers \$5.50@8.50; stocker steers \$5.50@8.00; stocker cows and heifers \$3.00@6.50; market steady; medium and choice lambs \$8.25@8.55; culls and common \$6.00@8.00; yearlings \$6.50@8.00; common and choice ewes \$2.00@4.75; feeder lambs \$7.00@8.00.

PITTSBURGH LIVESTOCK

PITTSBURGH, March 24.—Hogs—Receipts, 500; market, active, 5 to 15c higher; pigs and packing sows little change; 150 to 210 lb. weights, \$8.50@8.55; a few 220 to 260 lb. weights, \$8.10@8.40; pigs up to \$8.25 in old lots; good packing sows, \$6.75 and below.

Cattle—Receipts, 15; market, nominally unchanged.

Calves—Receipts, 100; market, steady; choice medium weight vealers up to \$10 but scarce; fair showing cleaner grades and light weights, \$5@8.

Sheep—Receipts, 250; market, steady; good to choice clipped lambs, scarce, quoted \$8.25@9.25; some medium grades at \$7.25@8.

CHICAGO BUTTER

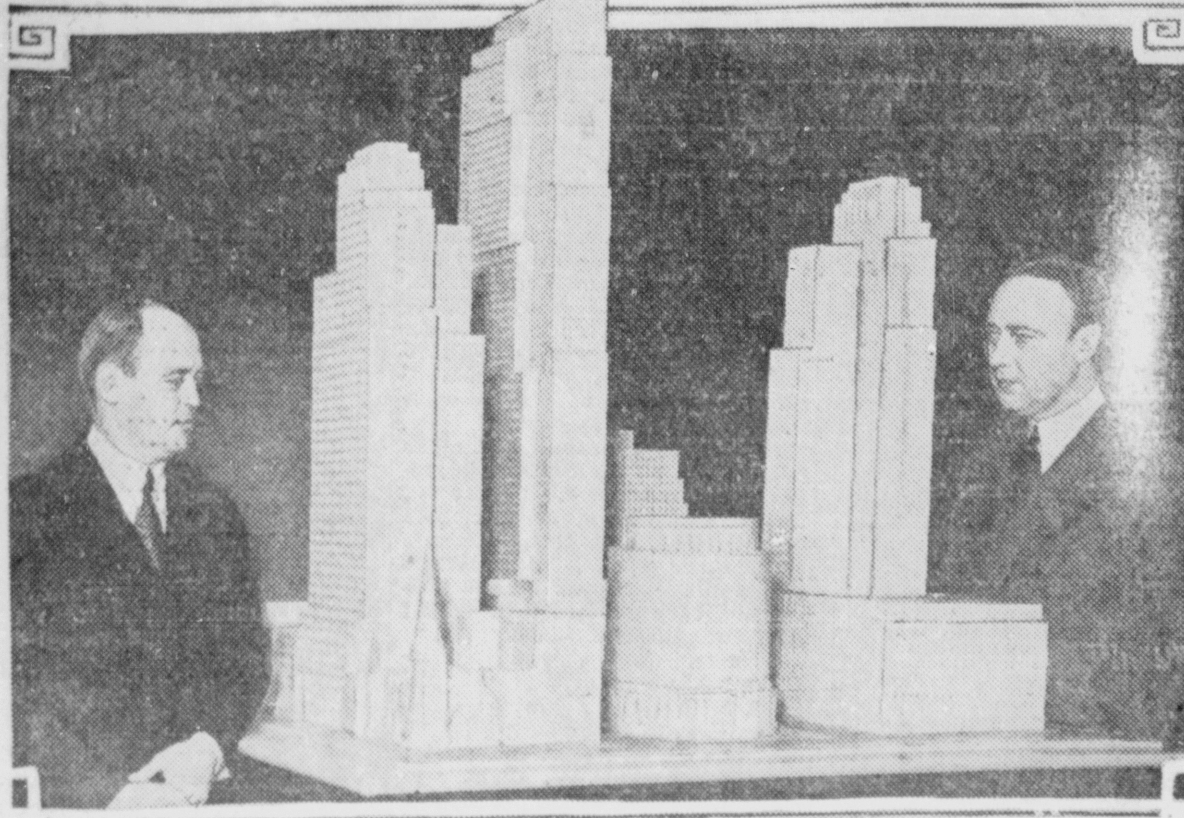
CHICAGO, March 24.—Butter receipts, 15,900 tubs; creamery extra, 27½c; standards, 27½c; extra firsts, 26½c; standards, 27½c; extra firsts, 26½c; firsts, 26½c; second, 26½c; packing stock, 15@16c; specials, 28½@29c.

CLEVELAND BUTTER

CLEVELAND, March 24.—Butter extra, 27½c; standards, 27½c; market, easy; eggs: extra, 19c; firsts, 18c; market, weak; live poultry: heavy fowls, 23c; med. fowls, 24c; leghorn fowls, 21c; leghorn broilers, 15c; ducks, 25c; geese, 15@16c; old geese, 13c; mkt. steady; capons, No. 1, 28@32c; apples, per bu. various varieties, \$1.25@1.55; cabbage: Danish type 45c for 50 lb. sack; potatoes: Wisconsin, round whites, \$1.90 per 100 lb. sack.

TELLING the WORLD'S NEWS with PICTURES

"Radio City" Realization of Dream



A tremendous city within a city is the new Radio City to be erected in midtown New York, by John D. Rockefeller, Jr., at a cost of \$250,000,000. Construction of this shimmering city of challenging towers will begin this Summer and it is expected will be ready for occupancy by Autumn, 1932. In the center is the 68-story building which will house the National Broadcasting Co., M. H. Ayleworth, president, at right. There will be two office buildings beside this one, each of 45 stories, and two theatres and a proposed open structure. At the left of the model is Hiram Brown, president of Radio-Keith-Orpheum.

Height of Their Profession



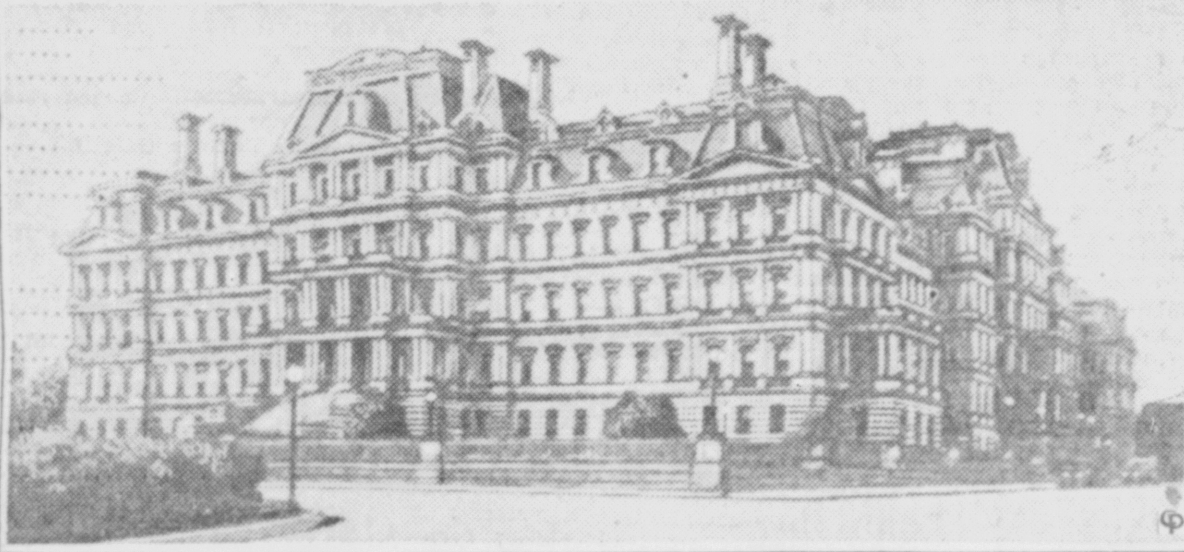
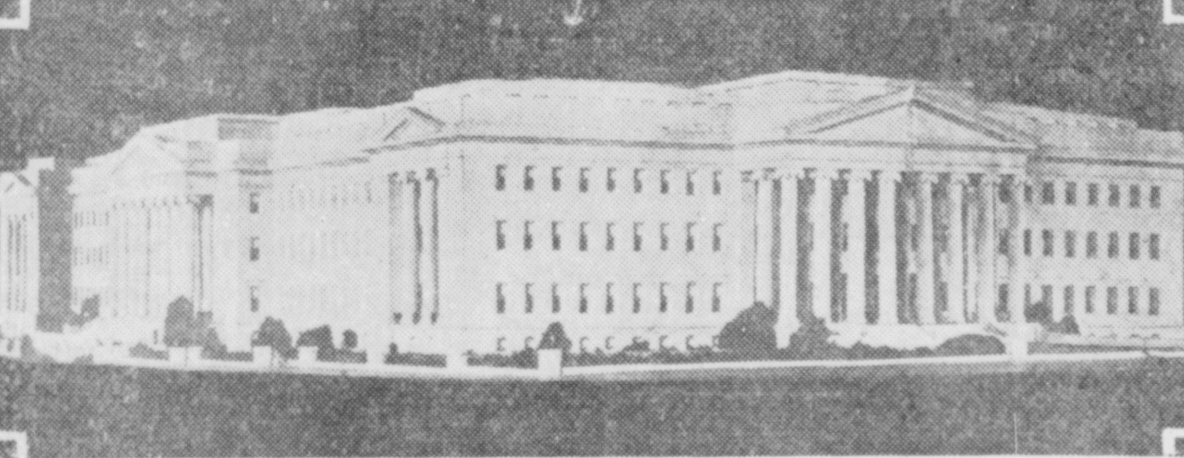
A profession in which it is possible to rise to dizzy heights without first spending half a life time "working up" is that of window cleaner in New York's forest of skyscrapers. Picture shows a couple of these intrepid souls pausing in their work of clarifying the windows of the Empire State Building to wave a greeting to some friends on the street 80 stories below. Most of these human flies feel safer on their precarious perches than they do when crossing the street.

Boulder Dam Project Gets Under Way



The greatest engineering feat ever undertaken in the United States, ranking second in magnitude only to the Panama Canal, is the Boulder Dam project. The contract for harnessing the giant Colorado River has been awarded to Six Companies, Inc., and the work will be under the supervision of William H. Wattis, president of the company (left inset). The machinery of this giant project has been set in motion by Secretary of the Interior Ray Lyman Wilbur (right), pictured with Dr. Elwood Mead, Commissioner of the Bureau of Reclamation, as the contract calling for construction was officially signed. (Upper) An artist's drawing showing how Boulder Dam will look when completed.

OLD STATE, WAR, NAVY BUILDING TO BE REMODELED



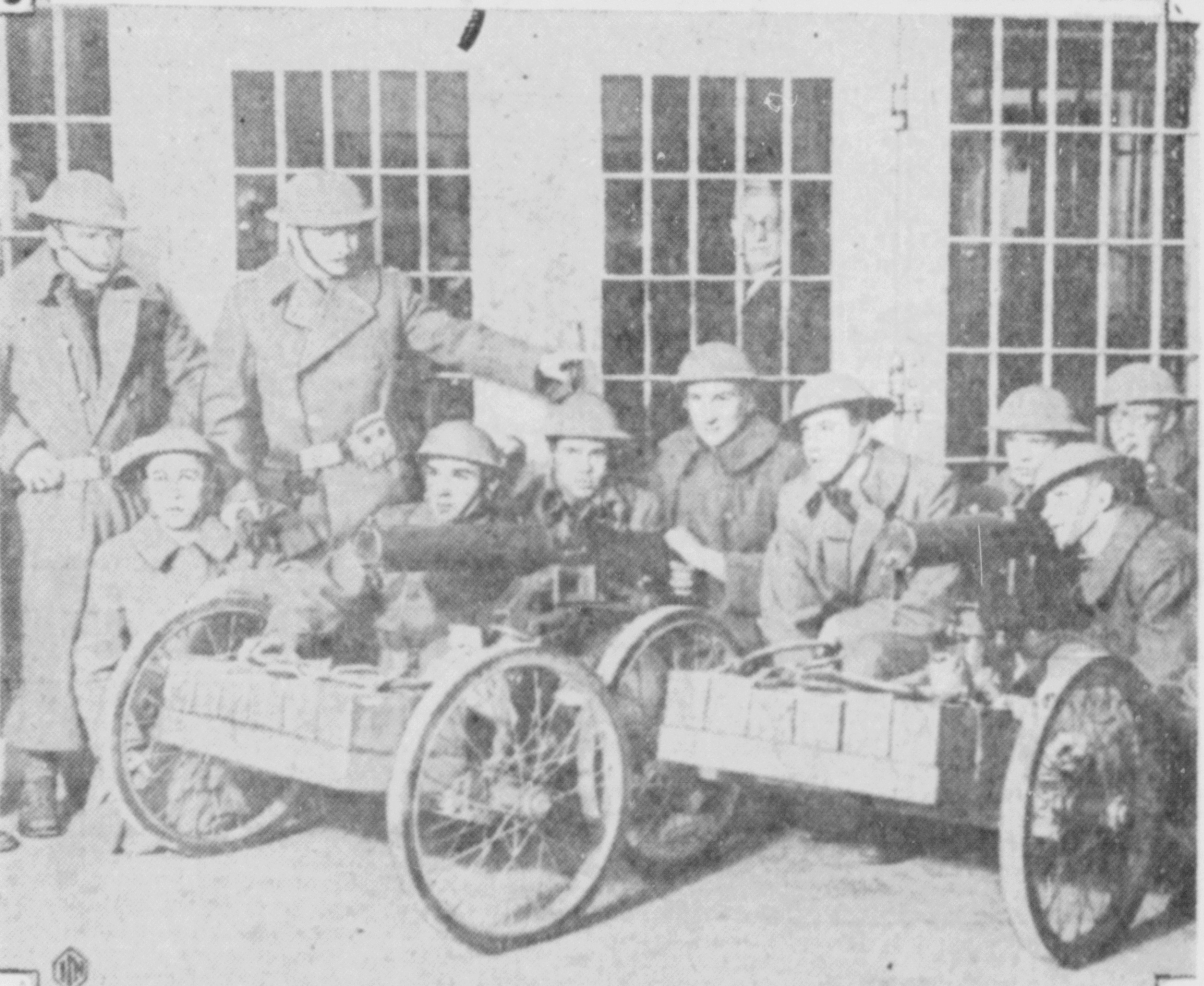
This model, top, of State, War and Navy building, at Washington, has been accepted by the fine arts commission, for the remodeling. The present building will be made to look like the U. S. Treasury building, following the new building plan for government institutions. Below is present structure

From This to Death, Despair



Could one foretell from this picture of perfect domestic felicity that a passion filled moment was to plunge this happy group into an abyss of death and despair? It is a photo of the Nixon-Nirdlinger family, of Phila., Pa., taken on an occasion when tragedy was far away. Mrs. Nixon-Nirdlinger is shown holding their youngest child the exemplification of happy motherhood. She is now held by the authorities at Nice, France, charged with the murder of her husband.

Ready to Enforce Obedience at Joliet



Here is shown a machine-gun squad of the National Guard just outside the gates of the State Penitentiary at Statesville, Ill. The guards were called in to subdue the rioting prisoners who set fire to the prison, causing damage to the institution that may reach half a million dollars.

Speaking of the "Dry Navy"



These boys are not of the Prohibition Fleet, as is plainly evidenced by this picture taken at Panama. It shows a carefree group of our sailors celebrating the cessation of hostilities in the "Theoretical War" which has been in progress off the Canal Zone. The boys appear to be on the point of entertaining their tonsils with large draughts of—er—ginger ale (?).

Stars Twinkle on Honeymoon



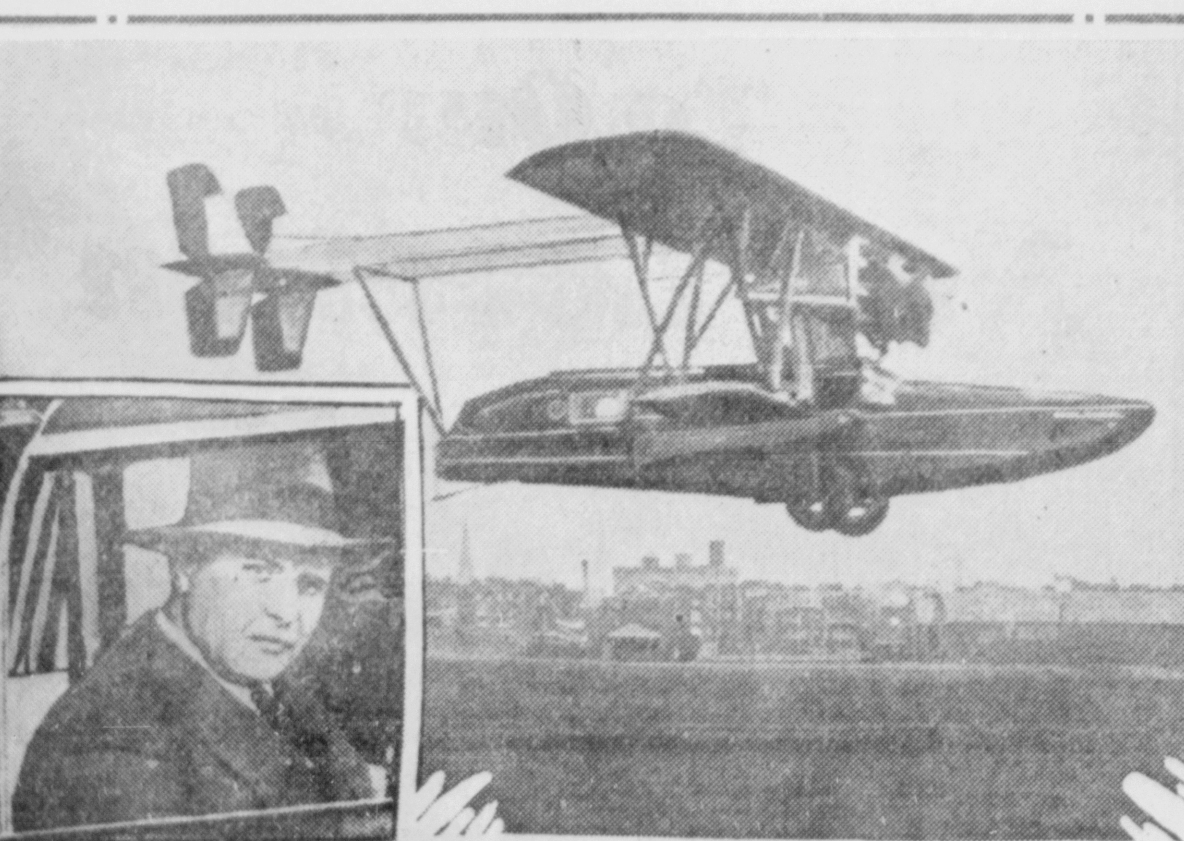
Johnny Weissmuller, star of many swimming events, and Bobby Arnst, star of the stage, are twinkling together in sunshine at Miami Beach, Fla., on their honeymoon. They were married at Fort Lauderdale, Fla., after a short courtship.

President to Dedicate Harding Tomb



The Memorial raised over the tomb of the late President and Mrs. Harding, at Marion, Ohio, will be dedicated by President Hoover during the week of June 14. Former President Calvin Coolidge is also understood to have been invited to participate at the dedication ceremonies.

Flies on Errand of Mercy



The two-motored Sikorsky amphibian plane, piloted by Bernt Balchen, pictured as it rose from the runway at Boston Airport bound for St. John's, Newfoundland, to search for the missing members of the ill-fated Viking filming expedition. The famous pilot, Bernt Balchen (inset), has had much experience in sub-zero flying, which will be a valuable asset to the search party among the frozen wastes.

They'll Be Busy Now



The fashionable resort of Hot Springs, Ark., expects a great onslaught of divorce business, following passage of a new 90-day residence clause in the State's divorce statutes. By enactment of this law, Arkansas will compete for the huge divorce business done by Nevada. Clerk Watty Parker (left) and Judge W. R. Duffy (right), of Chancery Court, are getting ready for business.

When Plane and Hopes Crashed



All hope Captain Ira Eaker, (Left), U. S. Army ace, might have had for a new transcontinental record, disappeared when a clogged fuel line forced him to land his Lockheed Vega monoplane on a mudbank near Marion, Kentucky, during his attempted non-stop flight from Los Angeles to New York. As the picture shows the plane turned over on landing, but Captain Eaker escaped with minor injuries.

DEATH CLAIMS MRS. SAMUEL HOLLAND ON MONDAY AFTERNOON

Mrs. Mabel A. Holland, 47, wife of Samuel Holland, died at her home in Spring Valley at 3:15 o'clock Monday afternoon of a fractured skull sustained when she was seized with a sudden illness while leaving her residence and fell from the porch, her head striking a cement step.

The victim had suffered three strokes of apoplexy within the last three years but had appeared to be feeling well Monday afternoon when her husband went away from the house and left her alone.

The accident was witnessed by a Xenia woman, who was walking near the Holland residence. She turned in time to see Mrs. Holland wave her arms and fall from the porch. She hurried to the victim's aid, discovered the head injury and obtained the services of a physician, who pronounced her dead.

Mrs. Holland was born February 24, 1884 at Middleton's Corner, the daughter of David H. and Lydia Peacemaker, and was married May 16, 1901 to Mr. Holland, who survives with one son, K. D. Holland, Washington, D. C., and a brother, Foster Peacemaker West Milton.

A member of the Friends Church and the D. of A. lodge, Mrs. Holland was an active church worker and served as an officer of the Daughters of America in Spring Valley for many years until her health began to fail.

Funeral services will be held at the home Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock and burial will be made in Spring Valley cemetery.

BELIEVE 600 WILL ATTEND COMMUNITY BANQUET OF LEGION

The second community banquet sponsored by Joseph P. Foody, Post American Legion, will be held at the O. S. and S. O. Home Thursday evening, April 2, at 7 p.m.

The banquet last year was held in the Central High School cafeteria and due to limited capacity many Xenians were deprived of the opportunity of attending. The dining hall at the O. S. and S. O. Home in which the banquet will be held this year has a capacity of 600 and about one-half this number of reservations has already been made.

Through a member of the Joseph P. Foody Post, Paul V. McNutt, dean of the law school of Indiana University, and past national commander of the Legion, has been obtained as speaker.

Reservations may be made through Loring Sheppard at the Court House. Price of admission will be one dollar per plate. McNutt is an outstanding speaker. Those who desire to make reservations are asked to do so at the earliest possible date.

JUNIOR CLASS WILL PRESENT COMEDY

"The Man Higher Up," a three act comedy, has been selected by the junior class of Cedarville High School as its vehicle for presentation April 1 at 8 p.m. at the Cedarville Opera House. The play will be under the direction of Miss Carrie Rife, principal of the high school.

In the cast are Wanda Turnbull, Isadore Owens, Wilma Coffman, Esther Waddle, Julia McCallister, Eleanor Coulter, Carma Hostetter, Lella Griffin, Frances Finney, Helen Rotroff, Marjorie Strowbridge, Nellie Landaker, John Webster, Ralph Bull, John Tobias, Delwood Marshall and Carl Nelson.

"RUNNED OVER BY DOG"

CLEVELAND, March 24.—Parents of William Pfeffer, 3, had always told him to be careful of automobiles while crossing streets, but they never told him to be careful of big dogs, he complained as a doctor was setting his fractured leg which he sustained when he was knocked over by a dog. "But I got run over by a dog," he said.

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Round Trip
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Chicago
EVERY SUNDAY
(All Steel Coaches)

Tickets good going and returning in Coaches only on regular trains leaving Xenia 10:35 p.m. and leaving Chicago, Sunday, 11:10 a.m.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD

WHAT WOULD YOU DO IN HER PLACE?



Mary coming in to announce dinner, found them thus—the sister to whom she had given everything nestled in her lover's arms, both lost in the ecstasy of the dance—what would you do? Read "Love, Preferred," the romance of a business girl, starting April 1 in THE GAZETTE.

WENDEL ESTATE IS SCATTERED BY WILL OF LAST OF FAMILY

NEW YORK, March 24.—The Wendel estate—those hundred millions so cannily, firmly reared on the rock of real estate—was scattered today.

Ella V. Von Eichtal Wendel, last of the Wendels, who died recently, scattered the millions far and wide and empowered the executors to sell all the real estate, with the exception of the dreary home at Fifth Avenue and 39th St., that John Gottlieb Wendel, Mathias Wendel, John Daniel Wendel and John Gottlieb Wendel Jr. had collected in more than a century.

To Maria Hines, a former servant, she gave \$2,000 and then she ran the scale of charity to send part of these imperishable millions, as far off as Nanking, China. To the Drew Theological Seminary, Madison, N. J., one of the major beneficiaries under the will, she left "The House with the Yard for the Dog," the house where she lived and died.

"A visit to our shop adds a Course in Correct Style to your Son's curriculum," says Kany the Tailor.

HERE'S A PICTURE OF BROWN'S BOY BACK FROM SCHOOL—GOOD LOOKING LAD!



KANY'S TAILOR
I'M THINKING JUNIOR OUGHT TO GET THE CLOTHES HE NEEDS 7 DAYS BEFORE HIS VACATION IS OVER



YOU'RE RIGHT, MAY-HE'LL BE BETTER DRESSED AND I'LL BE MONEY IN POCKET!



Correct Style—Correct Fit and correct material. You select the material and style you want. We guarantee the perfect fit. Try us the next time you need a suit.

Yellow Springs

Everybody is invited and urged to be present at the Citizen's meeting to be held Tuesday evening at the Little Theater at 8 o'clock. Attorney Stewart L. Tatum of Springfield will speak on the commission form of government. Manager Strague of South Charleston is expected to be present to tell of the way this form of government has worked out in his town.

The P. T. A. will meet Friday evening at 7:30 at the Bryan High School auditorium. A special program has been arranged for this meeting.

Miss Grace Stevens and sister, Mrs. Lois Hayes are at home suffering from shock and bruises they received Saturday afternoon when their car was damaged by a collision with a car driven by three colored men at the Bryan and Yellow Springs Pike west of town. Miss Stevens' car plunged through a fence into a field but did not upset.

Mrs. George McKee who spent the winter in Wilmington, Delaware, with her son, has returned to the home of her sister, Mrs. James Good on Dayton St.

Miss Josephine Low celebrated her birthday by entertaining a group of her high school friends at her home Thursday evening. The hours were spent in playing games. Later in the evening refreshments were served. Josephine received a number of nice presents.

The death of Mrs. Frank Hazen

which occurred Sunday morning was a shock to the whole community. Mrs. Hazen had been spending the evening with some friends and had only been home a short time when she was stricken with apoplexy. She is survived by her husband and one brother, Theodore Dawson. The funeral services were held at the residence on the Clifton Pike Tuesday afternoon. Burial in Glen Forest cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. George McCullough have moved from the Welch apartment on Glenn St. into the house with their daughter Mrs. Walter Stansbury on Dayton Street.

Mrs. John Garlough spent the week in Clifton with her friend Mrs. A. S. Lewis.

Mrs. Ira Barr is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Barr in Como, Miss. Miss Waneline Whitmer of Troy spent the week end as the guest of Mrs. Clara Dawson.

Clarence Schlientz of Greenville was here this week calling on the grain dealer. Mr. Schlientz is now connected with the Acme Grain Company of Lima.

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THE DIAMOND BRAND
Ladies Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold wrapper. Do not take other pills. Take no other. Buy only Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills. For sale at all druggists. Sold by DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

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Pimples, Enlarged or Clogged Pores, Roughness and Dryness

Then try the Resinol treatment—Resinol Soap to cleanse and reduce the pores—Resinol Ointment to clear away the pimples, roughness, and dryness. The treatment that has changed many an ugly skin to one that is clear and velvety. Sample each free. Write Resinol, Dept. 55, Baltimore, Md.

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Also 2 reel Vitaphone Act and Pathe News

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WALNUT AT 4TH STREETS
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HILL IS HUMAN SPARKPLUG

Whirlwind Middle Name Of Tobacco King; Always Hot And Bothered

George W. Hill, jazz-boy of business, is high voltage America in person. That \$1,200,000 bonus Hill draws today from his American Tobacco Company isn't a cymbal crash to his real significance. He hangs a derby hat, slightly cock-eyed, on stuffed shirt Wall St. and they take it and like it—when they see his annual report.

On top of the \$1,200,000, Wall Street has figured out that the bonus plan will bring the smoking magnate about \$1,000,000 more in cash for 1930—\$2,200,000-a-year man is he.

Hill is dapper, swagger and 46, synthetic, toasted, tanned by his ultraviolet rays, hot—and always bothered. His corporation tap dance is always two clicks ahead of his customers—and directors. He is as far-reaching as a bath brush. His flair carries all the stab of Broadway's 500,000 waits on a wet night.

He's Likened to a Light

"What," asked a friend of G. K. Chesterton, who was viewing Times Sq. for the first time, "do you think of it?"

"Marvelous," replied Chesterton, "if a man couldn't read."

You don't read Hill; you listen to him, watch him.

Today, for example, up at the National Broadcasting Co. studios, where each Saturday morning he puts his Lucky Strike Dance Orchestra through its paces.

Hill and his tobacco colleagues, his advertising experts and the broadcasting program directors take their places at the long table in the directors' room where the music is "piped" up to them. Pads and pencils are the appointments at each place. What you're listening to is Hill's big business blues.

Hill sheds his overcoat, chucks a battered Borsalino into a vacant chair and takes another at the head of the table.

The switch is turned. "Would You Like to Take a Walk?" The orchestra lams into it. "Too blue, I don't like those pianos. Shove 'em back further. Make the rhythm snappier. Put some pep in the sticks."

Rolfe is sent for. The music is mended for correction at that

point. It's the way you'll hear it tonight. Tense, snappy, acute, Hill's entire response is emotional. He thinks, acts, breathes in headlines, slogans. The advertising copy of the American Tobacco Co. is said to be largely his. Nothing in promotional work goes out without his approval.

How a Sloganeer Does It

He is said to have originated the phrase—"reach for a Lucky instead of a sweet"—while observing two girls at a railroad station, one a buxom lass eating candy, the other a lissome miss lighting a cigarette.

It is a perfect characterization, since Hill's entire viewpoint is the reconciliation of the phrase to the person.

For these high-pressure humanizations that have put his cigarette in the van of smokes, Hill has just received a bonus of 13,440 shares of A. T. stock, equivalent to \$1,200,000. This is above his unknown salary.

He always has been identified with the promotional work of his company. An alumnus of Williams College, he joined the organization in 1904 in that department. Six years ago, at 41, he succeeded to the presidency upon the death of his father, Percival S. Hill.

A year or so ago his forty-room house in Mammoth Neck Rd., White Plains, where he lives, a widower, with Percival, 6, and Mary, 7, was destroyed by fire. The loss was estimated at \$150,000. Hill cared little about the mansion. What soured him most was the loss of his prized painting—"The Smugglers"—a canvas by Thomas Morland.

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SORE MUSCLES
LIMBER UP QUICKLY
One application of Musterole often brings relief. Used once every hour for 3 hours this "cooling" should give complete comfort.

NOTICE

Dividend checks for quarter ending April 1, 1931 have been mailed to paid-up stockholders as of March 21st.

The Hibbert Theatres, Inc.

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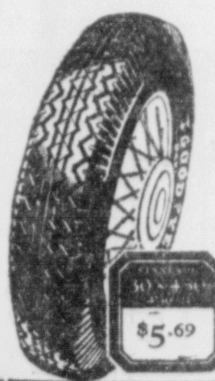
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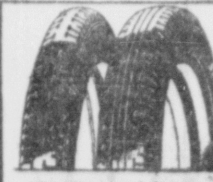
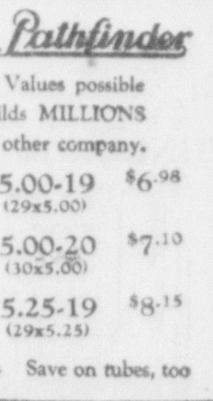
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SEARCH CONTINUES FOR TOLEDO SLAYER

TOLEDO, O., March 24.—Search for the assailant of Alfonso Miller, an employee of a Toledo Spice Co., who was shot and fatally wounded by a filling station bandit when the latter attempted to elude captors, was continued in Toledo and the immediate vicinity today.

All clues as to the whereabouts and identity of the gun-welder have failed, according to Lucas County detectives.

Reports published Saturday that a Fremont youth had been arrested in connection with the slaying were branded as false by detectives. Officials reported no arrests have been made in the murder case.

SET DATE FOR TOUR

GARY, Ind., March 24.—Indiana's third annual all-state air tour under the sponsorship of the Indiana Aircraft Trades Association will be held June 23 to 27. More than forty ships will participate making this the largest air tour since the organization of the association three years ago. The first tour was participated in by thirty planes in 1929. In 1930 there were thirty-two ships. The tour includes about thirty Indiana cities. Not one single accident thus far has ever marred one of these all state air tours.

NAME SCHOOL HEAD
MOUNDSVILLE, W. Va., March 24.—Louis R. Potts of Columbus, today was appointed superintendent of Moundsville schools to succeed John G. Shreve who resigned two months ago.

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FLOWERS for all occasions. R. O. Douglas, Florist. Ph. 549-W.
5 Notices, Meetings
MOVED—Poland Seed Store. On account of needing more room we have moved one door east to Engelman's Store, with full line of dependable garden seed.

7 Lost and Found
LOST—Diamond ring, \$50 reward. Phone 523 or 531-W.
8 Dry Cleaning, Laundry
RUG CLEANING—New, up-to-date methods. Shampooing, dry cleaning, sizing. M. A. Ross, 28-R.

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ORCHID BEAUTY SHOP—231 E. Main. Permanent and all kinds of beauty work. Phone 512-R.
ELEANOR DIMITT Beauty Shop, 12 Leaman St. Expert beauty work and permanent. Haircuts, 15c.

11 Professional Services
TO APPRECIATE good kodak pictures have them finished by Daisy Clemens, Steele Bldg.
12 Roofing, Plumbing
PIPES—Valves and fittings for all purposes. BOCKLET'S line of plumbing and heating supplies are the best. The Bocklet-King Co., 415 W. Main St.

15 Painting, Papering
PROTECT and beautify your house by using Pinnacle House Paint. (Just a little bit better). Let me explain how you can buy this pure genuine lead and oil paint at \$2.75 per gallon. A formula specified and acknowledged by the government. L. A. Woolley, Xenia.

17 Commercial Hauling
MOVE WITH GILBERT. Our motor vans mean speed and saving for your transfer work. Dayton, Xenia and Wilmington Motor Line, 135 W. Main, Xenia. Phone 304.

18 Help Wanted—Male
WANTED—Man to run Fordson tractor. Must understand operation and plowing of ground. Apply at Lampert Floral Co. in person.

22 Situations Wanted
WANTED—Housekeeping work in widower's home. Fall at 417 S. Columbus St.

25 Poultry, Eggs, Supplies
CUSTOM HATCHING — 25c per egg. Maplelawn Hatchery, Zimmerman, O. Electric incubators. Dayton Phone County 61-R-2.

Thor O'Goo
Checks, new low prices. Highest quality, always. TOWNLEY HATCHERIES, Phone 129.

26 Horses—Cattle—Hogs
FOR SALE—One O. I. C. boar. Phone 172-R. W. L. Douthett.
SPOTTED POLAND China bred gilts, 3 bred for May, 4 for June litters. Fred Williamson.
FOR SALE—2 Chester White brood sows, 15 pigs, five weeks old. Phone 10-F-11.
FOR SALE—One male Guernsey calf, purchased five days old. Two Hampshire male hogs, purebred. Herman Eavey. Phone 1001.
FOR SALE—Good work horse. Price reasonable. Edgar Hurley. 624 W. Main St.

27 Wanted To Buy
WOOL! WOOL!
Look for further notice for delivery prices.
Stout Coal Yard
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WANTED—Air-tight stove. Phone 919-W.

28 Miscellaneous for Sale
RECLEANED Miami seed oats. Priced right. Belden Milling Co. Dayton and Xenia Pike. Zimmerman, O.
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SPRING HOUSE cleaning?—Rent a floor polisher and buy Johnson's Wax at Eichman's.

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LET FUDGE repair your furniture. We will call and deliver. 23 S. Whitman St. Phone 754. Fudge Used Furniture Store.

29 Musical—Radio
PIANOS, \$50 to \$125. Easy payments. John Harbise, Allen Bldg.

30 Household Goods
WALNUT Dining room table and chairs, in good condition. Mrs. A. Moser, 41 W. Second St.

34 Apartments—Furnished
4-ROOM furnished apartment. Centrally located. Hot and cold water furnished. Call Dr. A. C. Messenger.

35 Apartments Unfurnished
4-ROOM modern apartments, centrally located. Apply 139 E. Market St. Phone 1143-M.

6 ROOM apartment, second floor, modern, good location two blocks from Court House. Phone 111, Gazette Office.

37 Rooms—Furnished
TWO ROOMS and kitchenette with heat, light, gas. Private entrance. Inquire 223 N. Galloway St.

39 Houses—Unfurnished
7-ROOM HOUSE, electricity, gas and toilet inside, garage, garden. Near Shoe Factory—\$18. Also 4-room house, \$12.50. M. J. Hebb.

FOR RENT—Six-room house with gas, bath, electricity, garden and garage. Inquire 202 Hill St.

THREE ROOM house on Mechanic St. Reasonable rent. Engelman, 23 W. Main St.

FOR RENT APR. 1—5-room house on Chestnut St. Phone 124-R.

6 ROOM COTTAGE on N. Detroit St. Modern. Call Dr. A. C. Messenger.

42 Miscellaneous for Rent
GARAGE for rent. 417 W. Market St.

45 Houses For Sale
\$1,750 BUYS 6-room house, modern except furnace; garage. At 510 W. Second St. For inspection and terms see caretaker at 503 W. Second St.

49 Business Opportunities
CHATELAIN LOANS. Notes Bought. Second Mortgages. John Harbise, Allen Building.
DO YOU NEED MONEY? If so, Call, Phone or Write The Central Acceptance Corporation, Room 1, Allen Building, Phone, Main 1234.

54 Parts—Service—Repairing
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1928 Chevrolet Cabriolet \$185

1930 Ford Sport Roadster \$425

1929 Ford Sport Coupe ... \$295

1929 Plymouth Sedan \$350

1929 Ford Sport Roadster \$250

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1927 Chevrolet Roadster \$85

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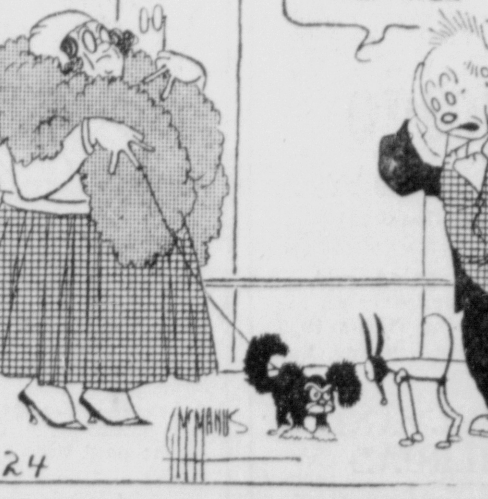
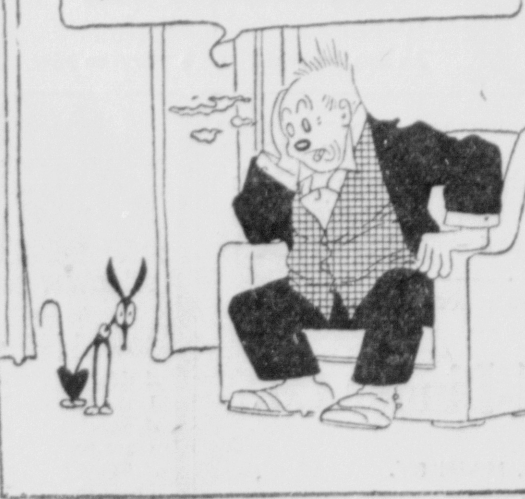
BY GOLLY—IF YOU COULD EAT BIRD SEED—I THINK YOU COULD SING—THE IDEA OF YOU THINKING YOU'RE A DOG!

NEITHER SIR! IT IS MRS. E-MENCE—AND SHE HAS HER DOG WITH HER—SHE SAYS I SEND HER IN?

NOW WE'RE GONNA SEE A DOG—FIGHT AN I THINK I KNOW THE WINNER.

AH! MR. JIGGS!

THEY BOTH OUGHT TO BE IN THE CELLAR WITH THE MICE—



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"The Shadow"

There is no more sinister fellow in the radio world than the gentleman above. He is that mysterious announcer known as "The Shadow," whose guttural laugh has

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MAD LAUGHTER

A THRILLING MYSTERY STORY • by MILES BURTON

Dick closed his eyes, and the dead forms of Inspector Brooks and of Pussy Herdridge appeared to him. His staring eyes seemed to glare at him accusingly, as at one who held their murderer in his power and hesitated to bring him to justice. He knew that there was only one thing that he could do. At whatever cost to his own and Alison's happiness, he must put his knowledge at the disposal of the police.

On the arrival of the train at Paddington, he took a taxi to Scotland Yard and was shown into the presence of Sir Edric.

"Hallo, Dick!" exclaimed the latter. "I have been wondering what had become of you. But good lord, man, what have you been doing to yourself?"

"I've had a pretty strenuous time since I saw you last," replied Dick. "But, as a result, I've found out who the Funny Toof is. I only wish from the bottom of my heart that I hadn't. Listen, and I'll tell you the whole story."

Sir Edric listened, scribbling hasty notes on a pad of paper from time to time. When Dick had finished, his friend rose from his chair and put a hand on his shoulder. "Thank God you're safe, anyhow," he said. "I can understand what this means to you, Dick, and I can't tell you how grateful I am that you came to me straight away."

Sir Edric paused, and glanced at the clock. "It's now eight o'clock," he said. "The train by which you started from Wells got to Paddington just before one. That means that he's got seven hours' start of us."

"Then you think that he's escaped by this time?" inquired Dick eagerly.

Sir Edric shook his head. "I think not," he replied. "You must remember that he probably thinks that you are dead, or at least very seriously injured, in which case he would have time in which to make his preparations. Unless he hears of your body being found, he will certainly endeavor to make his escape, though. We must let him think that you are dead, at least for the present. Thank goodness, you came straight here, without anybody seeing you! He may have had a man on the look-out at Paddington, but we must risk that."

"What do you imagine that he will do, then?" asked Dick.

"I fancy that the first thing he did when he got to London was to warn the members of his gang. Then he would make arrangements for his escape from the country, taking the leaden pig and probably the gang with him. You may be sure that he will leave no person or thing behind him that could give him away. All that will take time, and we are probably not too late to get on his track. I will issue orders at once to have every place which he frequents watched. Wapping, the house at Coldharbour Point, the mine workings and Leatridge Hall. Incidentally, I'll get the Wells people to keep an eye on the hospital. We don't want anything to happen to Miss Weatherleigh."

"That's awfully good of you, Conway," replied Dick gratefully. "You know she's completely innocent, of course."

"Of course," said Sir Edric. "Now, as for you, I'm not going to let you out of my sight. You'll stay here, in this room. We can get you something to eat, and you can sleep in that chair."

Dick was in no mood for sleep. He sat in the chair, while members of the detective staff of the Yard came and went, each receiving clear-cut instructions from his Chief. After their departure, an interval followed, during which Sir Edric and Dick partook of a hurried meal. And then reports began to flow in with rapidity.

A man answering to the description of Dr. Weatherleigh had arrived at Paddington at one o'clock, and had deposited a heavy suitcase in the cloak-room. Two or three hours later, another man, who looked like a gentleman's servant, had called with the ticket and taken the case away in a car.

The Police telephoned to say that they had visited the Rosalie. They had ascertained from the Customs authorities that her papers were in perfect order, and that she had arrived from London with a cargo of malt, the greater part of which had been discharged. Her skipper—who was also registered as her owner—and his crew of two, had left the vessel at about three o'clock, saying that they would return in half an hour. They had not since been seen.

"Just as I thought," commented Sir Edric. "The members of the gang have been warned, and the leaden pig has been removed to a place of safety. Our friend is on the run, that's certain. I've circulated his description to every policeman in England, and he can't possibly escape us."

"He'll be arrested at sight, I suppose," remarked Dick uneasily. But Sir Edric shook his head. "No, the orders are to leave him alone, but to report his movements here. I've spread a net to catch the whole crowd. They are bound to meet, if only to share out the proceeds, and I fancy they'll meet in this country. Hallo, here's another message!"

(TO BE CONTINUED)

CHURCH CHOIR WILL GIVE EASTER MUSIC

The First Reformed Church choir, assisted by other talent, will present its annual Easter program at the church Sunday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock. The program is being directed by Miss Marguerite Williams and will consist of ensemble numbers by piano, organ and violin; solos, duets and anthems. The public is invited. Talent assisting will include Mrs. A. C. Swinnerton, Yellow Springs; Mrs. W. H. McGervey, Mrs. Louis Hammerie, violinist, and Miss Juanita Rankin, organist. Members of the choir are Mrs. John Watkins, Mrs. Meda Gowdy, Mrs. Clarence Fisher, Mrs. Edwin Buck, Mrs. Raymond Wolf, Mrs. R. E. Dunkel, Mrs. Frank Wolf and Miss Helen Smith.

Norma Shearer Will Make Radio Debut Wednesday

By MILORED MASON

NORMA SHEARER, film idol, will make her initial appearance before the microphone in a program, known as "Musical Cocktail" over a nationwide CBS network from Los Angeles Wednesday evening from 8:30 to 9 o'clock. The program will come through station WKRC, Cincinnati. Miss Shearer will be interviewed for ten minutes by Louella Parsons.

Belle Baker On Air

Belle Baker, of stage and screen fame, will be featured in a program over a coast-to-coast hook-up of the CBS network Wednesday evening at 10 o'clock, coming through station WKRC, Cincinnati. Miss Baker is considered one of the smartest show people in vaudeville and as a crooner has many records and "talkie" shorts.

Another "Fight" Talk

James J. Corbett will give his frank opinion of the four leading heavyweight contenders—Schmeling, Sharkey, Stribling and Carner—in his regular weekly broadcast Wednesday evening at 6:30 o'clock. The program will be heard through station WKRC, Cincinnati.

A. P. Correspondent Speaks

Dryden Price, Washington correspondent for the Associated Press, will speak on the program, "Back of the News in Washington," over NBC network, through station WSAI, Cincinnati, Wednesday from 7:45 to 8 p. m. William Hard, who is usually heard at this time, is on his vacation and his place is being taken by Price.

Trio Again Featured

The Boswell sisters, who appeared as guest artists on the Camel Pleasure Hour several weeks ago, proved so popular that they will be heard again on that hour Wednesday evening at 9:30 o'clock. The program will be over the NBC network through station WLW, Cincinnati. The sisters will do the following numbers on Wednesday's program: "The Washington Waddle," "When I Take My Sugar to Tea" and "All On Account of Your Kisses."

Interviews Axiatrix

Ruth Nichols, axiatrix, who recently broke the world's altitude record for women, will be interviewed by Grantland Rice, sports writer, during the Coca Cola program over the NBC network through WSAI, Cincinnati, Wednesday at 10:30 p. m. Recently Miss Nichols tied Frank Hawks' south bound record between New York and Washington D. C. In 1929 the young axiatrix made a transcontinental tour of the country organizing Aviation Country Clubs. She is one of the three founders of these organizations.

On the Air From Cincinnati

TUESDAY, MARCH 24

WLW:
5:00 p. m.—Plantation Days.
5:30—Old Man Sunshine.
5:45—Happy-Go-Lucky Days.
6:00—Bradley Kincaid.
6:15—U. of C. Educational Series.
6:30—Recorded program.
6:45—Lowell Thomas.
7:00—Amos 'n' Andy.
7:30—Phil Cook.
7:45—Sterling Jack.
8:00—Paul Whiteman's Orchestra.
8:30—Verk Bubble Blowers.
9:00—Salt and Peanuts.
9:30—Chevrolet Chronicles.
10:00—The Cotton Queen.
10:30—Clara, Lu and Em.
10:45—Bob Newhall, sports slices.
11:00—Castle Farm Orchestra.
11:30—Slumber Music.
12:00 Mid.—Netherland Plaza Orchestra.
12:30 a. m.—Castle Farm Orchestra.

WKRC:
1:00-1:30—Hotel Gibson Orchestra.
5:00 p. m.—Rhythm Kings.
6:00—Orpheum organ recital.
6:15—Limping Limericks.
6:20—Sport Review, Paul Messham.
7:00—Political Situation in Washington.
7:30—Max Woche period.
7:45—Daddy and Rollo.
8:00—Song hit of the week.
8:15—Lorna Fantin.
8:30—News comments.
9:00—Minstrels.
9:30—Philo's Symphony.
10:00—Mr. and Mrs.
10:15—Blue Ribbon Jesters.
10:30—Paramount Public Playhouse.
11:02—Sport review, Paul Messham.
11:15—Cremo program.
11:30—Witching hour.
12:00 Mid.—Blackberry Dudes.

WSAI:
5:00 p. m.—Afternoon Tea.
5:30-5:45—Ringo Talkie.
7:00—Voters' Service.
7:30—Netherland Plaza Orchestra.
7:45—Pickard Family.
8:00—Blackstone Plantation.
8:30—Frolic.
9:00—Musical Magazine.
9:30—Entertainers.

LEGAL NOTICE

Sealed proposals will be received by the City Manager, Xenia, Ohio, at his office until 12 m. Eastern Standard Time, Monday, April 6th, 1931 for the following:
a. Filling one 10 inch tubular
b. Furnishing and Setting Screens in one or more Exhausts
c. Furnishing one 700 G. P. M. Centrifugal Pump, head 325'.
All work is to be in accordance with the plans and specifications now on file at the office of the City Manager, or copies are on file at 506-7 Union Trust Building, Dayton, Ohio.
Each bid is to be accompanied by a certified check in favor of the Xenia Water Department, in a sum equal to five (5%) per cent of the amount bid, or a bond in like amount, executed by a bonding company, conditioned that if such bid be accepted, a contract will be promptly entered into and the performance thereof properly secured by a surety or other bond, for the faithful performance of the contracts.
The City reserves the right to reject any or all bids, or to accept any part of a bid, or to accept a bid on any part of proposal, as well as to waive defects in the proposals if it be to their interest so to do.
Each bid must be plainly marked, "Bid on Water Works Material".
By order of the City Manager,
M. C. SMITH, City Manager,
Collins Wright,
Consulting Engineer.
21-3-24-31

By GEORGE MCMANUS

The Theater

Lily Damita will continue to trail her glamorous personality through RKO films as the French actress has been signed to play the lead in "The Sphinx Has Spoken," Maurice De Kobra's spiey novel of continental life.

This will be Lily's second RKO film, for New York, never to return to Hollywood. Brendel says: "As Olsen, a Swede, I was kicked in the eye by a French heel, worn by a Spanish dancer, sent to the hospital by orders of an Irish director, had my eye treated by a Russian surgeon, my nurse was Danish, the orderly was an American, the driver of the ambulance was a German. The Danish consul called daily, Greta Nissen, a Norwegian, sent me flowers. Vic McLaglen, an Englishman, called daily at the hospital, as did Marjorie White, a Canadian and my African maid, and my Philippine house boy had trouble explaining to callers what it was all about but the Japanese gardener, who speaks good English, helped them out."

For the second time Loretta Young will play opposite Walter Huston at First National. She has just finished "Upper Underworld" and has been assigned to "The Blue Moon Murder," S. S. Van

Maybe they'll change the title of the picture to "People of All Nations."

Twenty Years '11- Ago -'31

Mr. George Smith is navigating these days with difficulty. He ran a nail into his foot recently and the injury nearly resulted in blood poisoning.

Marion Canady, young son of Mr. and Mrs. James Canady, is ill.

The Crowell Publishing Co. will now publish three well-established magazines, "The American Magazine," "The Woman's Home Companion" and "Farm and Fireside" through an amalgamation just completed.

Xenia High, which has lost only one home game this season, will tackle Covington High here Friday.

NONSENSE



SALLY'S SALLIES



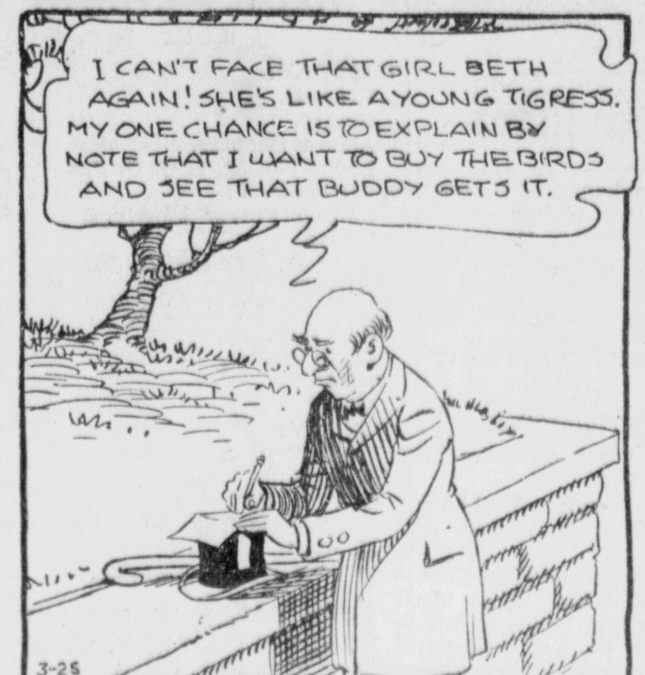
Girls are more beautiful nowadays than their predecessors—cometically.

JUST AMONG US GIRLS



"I hear you had a narrow escape while in swimming down South!"
"Yes, I was almost rescued by the wrong lifeguard!"

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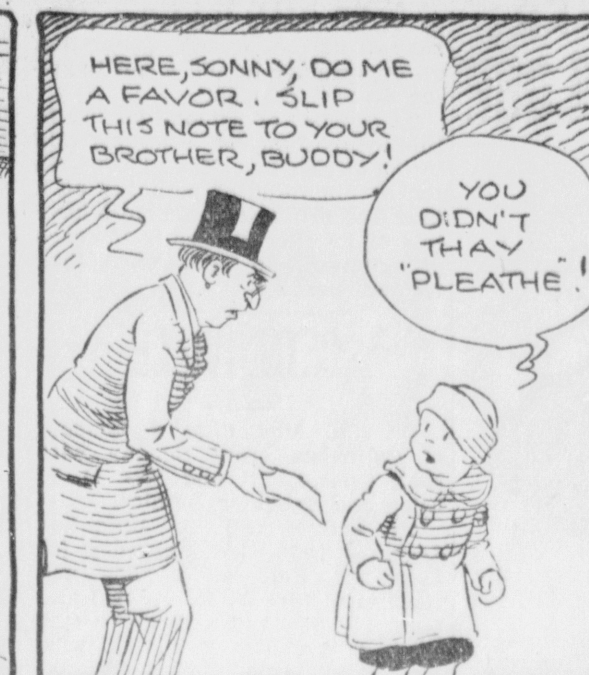
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CONTROVERSY OVER POTLIKKER AND CORNPONE CIRCLES GLOBE



JULIAN HARRIS, swamped with potlikker and cornpone mail

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ATLANTA, Ga., March 24.—"The importance of the trivial is too often underestimated," remarked the tired but happy Potlikker and Cornpone editor of an Atlanta newspaper, a role assumed by Julian Harris when he became the protagonist of the crumbling theory in a recent controversy over dietetic etiquette.

"It was, I think," added, "Oscar Wilde who asserted that nature imitates art. But the case of Governor Huey P. Long, senator elect of Louisiana, is that of a man who seeks to create the illusion that nature is to be changed by an artifice."

"Uncle Remus" Son
Julian Harris, son of the eminent Joel Chandler Harris, creator of Uncle Remus, was awarded the Pulitzer prize in 1926, when he was publisher of a Columbus (Ga.) daily, for his successful editorial fight against the Ku Klux Klan in that section. Among other things, he is known in the south for his stand in connection with justice to the Negro and now is aiding a commission of outstanding southerners in an investigation of the basic causes of lynching, with the objective of formulating a program to eliminate the evil.

Now, add to the characteristics of this well known southerner a keen sense of humor.

When Governor Long recently advocated dunking as proper to the enjoyment of eating potlikker, Harris took the opportunity to make a case against him. And after several weeks of good natured and somewhat humorous discussion concerning the relative merits of dunking and crumbling, it has been referred to as the "Able's Irish Rose" of journalism.

This superficially fantastic but fundamentally salutary discussion has served as food for serious and facetious thought among rich and poor, intellectual and boobozie, scientist and hired hand, politicians and preachers. The momentous southern argument started on an ominous Friday, the 13th, in February, and has reached out into the farthest corners of the globe as well as permeating metropolitan areas and the vast hinterland of America.

Notables Participate

Governors of fourteen states, mayors, noted American writers, scientists, public figures of the radio and moving picture fields, have taken part in the discussion. The Potlikker and Cornpone edi-

tor soon was swamped with letters and messages conveying opinions, crates of tinned tomatoes, tumbler of potlikker and an abundant supply of cornpone.

It is an argument in which America's greatest newspapers have stood side by side, editorially, with the country "sheets" of rural southern New England and mid-western, or perchance, differed here and there on a point of trivial import.

The issue has proved something more than a discussion, in Harris' opinion.

Apple Sauce for Nation
"From the moment Governor Long discovered that someone differed from him on the question of dunking cornpone in potlikker," Harris says, "Governor Long ably aided a scheme to arouse the sense of humor of a nation wearied by talk of depression, prohibition, communism, and the like."

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the revival of the ancient custom of eating cornpone and potlikker, or of consuming the latter alone, has given the present generation an opportunity to add a health-giving diet to its menu.

"A number of persons joining in this symposium see a serious side to the discussion. Many have written of the value of potlikker as a nutritive and a score or more have told of its effective use in the case of children who were what they termed 'puny.'"

CEDARVILLE

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Roueker of Columbus spent Sunday with their Cousin, Dr. and Mrs. O. P. Elias and daughter Bernice.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Illife and daughter Helen left Thursday for Lafayette, Ind., where they will visit with Rev. W. R. Graham and family. They will also go to Chicago, where they will visit with Mr. Illife's brother, Rev. W. W. Illife, D. D. and family.

The Kensington Club, entertained their husbands Tuesday evening with a covered dish dinner, at

the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Turner.

Mr. H. G. Funsett of Noblesville, Ind., visited friends here for a few days last week.

Carter Able of Columbus, O., was the guest of Robert Richards, over the week-end.

Quite a number from here attended the funeral of Mrs. Mable Giddell, a teacher in the Greenfield schools, last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Tarbox have been having for their guest, Mrs. Walter Purdom and little son of Fort Wayne, Ind.

Prof. and Mrs. John Orr Stew-

art of Cincinnati, visited with the former's mother, Mrs. J. O. Stewart, for a few days last week. Prof. Stewart is assisting with the training of the children's Chorus for the Cincinnati May Festival.

Quite a number from here attended the state D. A. R. convention that was held at Biltmore Hotel, Dayton, O. Among those in attendance were Mrs. Will Turn-

bull, Mrs. I. C. Davis, Mrs. LaClide Markel, Mrs. Lawrence Barber, Mrs. Anell Wright, Mrs. H. C. Schick and Mrs. Frank Creswell.

The Golden Rule Sunday School

Class of the Methodist Episcopal Church will hold its class party at the home of Mrs. Raymond Rittenour Thursday night.

EAST END NEWS

Mrs. Jessie Buchanan of Chicago, was the week-end visitor of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Porter, Taylor St. Mr. W. M. Moxley of Dayton was also their Sunday guest and attended the Baptizing at the Zion Baptist Church.

The Edith Randolph Prayer Circle met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Rosa Ware, E. Market St., they will meet Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Collins E. Second St.

Mrs. Allen Brown Yellow Springs was Sunday visitor of friends here.

Mrs. Grace Fowler of Columbus, was the week-end visitor of her sister, Mrs. Ella Hawkins and family of E. Church St. and attended the Baptism service at the Zion Baptist Church.

The Senior Choir rehearsal Wednesday evening at the Zion Baptist Church.

WEEKLY EVENTS

TUESDAY:
Kiwanis.
Rotary.
Aldora Chapter.
Lodge No. 52, I. O. O. F.
WEDNESDAY:
Church Prayer Meetings.
Moore.
K. of P. Ivanhoe No. 56.
THURSDAY:
Pride of X., D. of A.
Red Men.
Jr. Order.
FRIDAY:
Eagles.
MONDAY:
Unity Center.
S. P. O.
B. P. O. E.
Pocahontas.
K. of C.

GOLF BALLS IN DEMAND
BOWLING GREEN, O., March 24
—Due to heavy orders for golf clubs and balls, a double force, or 115 men, was put to work recently at a manufacturing company here, after several weeks of lay-off.

MARK GRANT HOME
WINDSOR, Conn., March 24—A tablet marking the site of the first home in America of the Grant family is to be set up and dedicated here some time in May. Three hundred members of the family are expected here for ceremonies marking the dedication. Matthew Grant, who came here in 1635, was the first ancestor of General U. S. Grant to come to this country.

FLY TO CONVENT
GARY, Ind., March 24—Twenty members of the Indiana Aircraft Association flew here to attend a special session at which dates for the third annual Hoosier air tour were selected. The dates selected were from June 22 to June 27. It will be the biggest state air tour yet held. Already 40 ships have been entered, eight more than last year.

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